

## CARLISLE'S REPORT IS ALL MADE OUT CONDITION OF THE NATIONAL TREASURY.

**Plea Made for the Retirement of the Greenbacks—He Reviews the Situation and Discusses Maintenance of Gold Reserve—Other Facts, Etc., as Set Forth.**

Washington, Dec. 17.—Secretary Carlisle's annual report on the state of the finances, was sent to congress yesterday.

It shows that the revenues of the government from all sources during the last fiscal year amounted to \$390,373,203. The expenditures during the same period aggregated \$433,178,426, leaving a deficit for the year of \$42,805,223. As compared with the fiscal year 1894 the receipts for 1895 increased \$17,570,705, although there was a decrease of \$31,



SECRETARY CARLISLE.

\$29,981 in the ordinary expenditures, which is largely accounted for by a reduction of \$11,134,055 on sugar bounties. The revenues for the current fiscal year are estimated upon the basis of existing laws at \$431,907,407, and the expenditures at \$448,907,407, which will leave a deficit of \$17,000,000.

For the coming year, ending June 30, 1897, the secretary estimates the receipts at \$464,793,120, and the expenditures at \$457,884,193, or an estimated surplus of \$6,908,926. The secretary states briefly the facts concerning the issues of bonds during the year, the particulars of which have already been reported to congress.

The secretary says that the government of Great Britain has refused to renew the sealing regulations agreed upon for the season of 1894, providing for the sealing up of arms, which leaves the question of the possession and use of arms to be determined wholly by the Paris award. A careful count of all the seals on the islands last year makes the number a little over 200,000, a decrease of over one-half since 1891.

The secretary devotes a large share of his report to a discussion of the conditions of the treasury and the currency, in the course of which he makes an exhaustive argument in favor for the retirement of the greenbacks.

"The cash balance in the treasury on the 1st day of December, 1895," he says, "was \$177,406,386, being \$98,072,420 in excess of the actual gold reserve on that day, and \$77,406,386 in excess of any sum that it would be necessary to use for replenishing that fund in case the secretary should at any time be unable to exchange currency for gold.

"There is, therefore, no reason to doubt the ability of the government to discharge all its current obligations during the present fiscal year, and have a large cash balance at its close, without imposing additional taxation in any form upon the people, but I adhere to the opinion, heretofore expressed, that the secretary of the treasury ought always to have authority to issue and sell, or use in the payment of expenses, short-time bonds, bearing a low rate of interest, to supply casual deficiencies in the revenue.

"With a complete return to the normal business conditions of the country and a proper legislative and executive supervision over expenditures, the revenue laws now in force will in my opinion yield ample means for the support of the public service upon the basis now established; and upon the assumption, which seems to be justified, that the progress now being made toward the restoration of our usual state of prosperity will continue without serious interruption. It is estimated that there will be a surplus of nearly \$7,000,000 during the fiscal year 1897.

"During the fiscal year 1894 and '95 the ordinary expenditures of the government have been decreased \$27,282,656.20, as compared with the fiscal year 1893, and it is believed that, with the co-operation of congress, further reductions can be made in the future without impairing the efficiency of the public service.

"The large withdrawals of gold in December, 1894, and in January and the early part of February, 1895, were due almost entirely to a feeling of apprehension in the public mind, which increased in intensity from day to day until it nearly reached the proportions of a panic, and it was evident to all who were familiar with the situation that, unless effective steps were promptly taken to check the growing distrust, the government would be compelled within a few days to suspend gold payment and drop to a depreciated silver-and-paper standard. More than \$43,000,000 of the amount withdrawn during the brief period last mentioned was not demanded for export but was taken out by people who had become alarmed on account of the critical condition of

the treasury in its relations to the currency of the country.

"The purchase of 3,500,000 ounces of gold followed, it being in the contract that not less than one-half of the gold was to be procured abroad, but after a large part of the gold had been furnished from abroad the secretary, in order to prevent disturbance in the rates of foreign exchange at a critical period, and avoid a condition which would force gold exports and consequent withdrawals from the treasury, acquiesced in a departure from the literal terms of the contract, that one-half of the coin should be procured abroad, and accepted deposits of gold then held in this country to complete the delivery."

The beneficial effects of this transaction, the secretary says, were felt immediately not only in this country, but in every other having commercial relations with us. He goes on: "Our past experience with the United States notes and treasury notes has clearly shown that the policy of attempting to retain these obligations of the government permanently as a part of our circulating medium, and to redeem them in coin on presentation and re-issue them after redemption, must be abandoned, or that such means must be at once provided as will have a tendency to facilitate the efforts of the secretary to accumulate and maintain a coin reserve sufficient in amount to keep the public constantly assured of the stability of our entire volume of currency and of our ability at all times to preserve equality in the exchangeable value of its various parts.

"The issue of bonds to procure coin for the reserve, which is the only effectual method now available under the law, will, unless conditions which have already been developed by the present policy are radically changed, ultimately result in the creation of a public debt much larger than would be required to retire and cancel all the notes, and the annual interest charge would be much greater than it would be necessary to incur on a new class of bonds adapted to the present circumstances of the government and the well-known preferences of investors.

"If, however, an attempt is to be made to keep the United States notes and treasury notes permanently in circulation by reissues after redemption and the government is to be permanently charged with the duty of sustaining the value of all our currency, paper and coin alike, the conclusion cannot be avoided that the policy of issuing bonds for the accomplishment of these purposes must also become permanent, and such additional powers must be conferred upon the secretary as will enable him to execute the laws relating to these subjects with the least possible disturbance of the business affairs of the people and the least possible charge upon the treasury.

"I am thoroughly convinced that this policy ought not to be continued, but that the United States' and treasury notes should be retired from circulation at the earliest practicable day and that the government should be wholly relieved from the responsibility of providing a credit currency for the people.

"If our legal-tender notes were retired there is abundant reason to believe that a very large amount of gold which has been excluded from the country by the excessive use of silver and paper in our circulation would promptly return to take its place in our currency and constitute a permanent part of our medium of exchange. The retirement and cancellation of the legal-tender notes would not necessarily produce any contraction of the circulation; and if such result should follow and continue for any considerable period it would be a demonstration of the fact that the volume of currency previously existing was not needed in the business of the people, for whenever the volume is reduced below the actual requirements of trade the deficiency will be supplied either from abroad in exchange for our products and securities, or by the banks at home, or both.

Long adherence to a false system has to a great extent undermined our national credit, so far as it is related to the maintenance of a sound currency, and it must be reconstructed, not merely propped up by frail and temporary supports. There is but one safe and effectual way to protect our treasury and that is to retire and cancel the notes which constitute the only means through which the withdrawals can be made. Many partial and temporary remedies may be suggested and urged with more or less plausibility, but this is the only one that will certainly remove the real cause of our troubles and give assurance of permanent protection against their recurrence in the future.

"This can be most successfully and economically accomplished by authorizing the secretary of the treasury to issue from time to time bonds payable in gold, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding 3 per cent per annum, and having a long time to run, and to exchange the bonds for United States notes and treasury notes upon such terms as may be most advantageous to the government, or to sell them abroad for gold whenever, in his judgment, it is advisable to do so, and use the gold thus obtained in redeeming the outstanding notes.

"Under the operation of such a plan, if judiciously executed, there could be no improper contraction of the circulation, because, if it should at any time be found that other forms of currency were not being supplied to the extent required, exchanges of bonds for notes would be suspended and gold would be procured by selling the securities abroad."

## MANY ARE INJURED IN A BAD WRECK

**TRAINS IN COLLISION AT MILTON, OHIO.**

Twelve People on Their Way to An Evangelist Meeting are Seriously Hurt—Fatal Railroad Wreck at Dover, New Jersey—A Stock Drover Named Caldwell Is Killed.

Lima, Ohio, Dec. 17.—A north-bound passenger train on the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton road ran into a north-bound local freight near Milton last night. The local caboose was filled with evangelists from Lima on their way to the meeting of the society at Weston. None were killed, but there were many injured, as follows:

Joel Borscher.  
Miss Rosa Barough.  
Mrs. B. G. Doty.  
Miss May Lane.  
Mrs. F. A. Balmor.  
Matthew Blasius.  
John Bruch.  
Charles Blasius.  
Charles Seaman.  
John Bolton.  
Engineer Clark Hoyt.  
Fireman Osmer, of Lima.

Twenty-five others, injured less, were able to go to their homes. Those brought here are more or less seriously hurt and are well cared for.

Engineer Hoyt was the only one severely hurt. Fireman Osmer escaped with slight injuries, as also did Brakenman J. Borscher of the local freight. In the caboose of the local were twelve people. The caboose took fire after being telescoped by the passenger engine, and burned up. No further names of injured could be learned.

**Fatal Wreck on the Lackawanna.**  
Dover, N. J., Dec. 17.—A disastrous wreck on the Lackawanna, attended with fatal results, occurred at this place yesterday morning. W. F. Caldwell of Iowa, a stock drover, was instantly killed, four cattle cars and a caboose were totally wrecked, and travel on the road was blocked for several hours.

## IN THE SENATE.

Short Monday Session—Senator Stewart Talks for Silver.

Washington, Dec. 17.—The senate was in session about two hours yesterday, half of that time being given to Mr. Stewart of Nevada, in a vigorous assault on the gold "combine." He urged that the great depreciation of silver gave to the cheap labor of Asia a tremendous advantage in competing with the domestic products of the American market. Japan, in particular, he said, was profiting by this difference of 50 per cent between our money and that of Japan, and Japanese merchants were today underselling our home producers in many lines of goods. Senator Carter of Montana introduced a bill authorizing the Pacific Cable company, a corporation organized under the laws of New York, to build a submarine cable from some point on the Pacific coast to the Hawaiian Islands and Japan. In case of war the United States may take possession of the lines. Mr. Quay (Rep., Pa.) presented a petition of the Wool Merchants' association of Philadelphia, asking for the re-enactment of the wool schedule of the McKinley law, and asked that it be read and inserted in the record.

Mr. Caffery (Dem., La.) offered a resolution, which was agreed to, calling on the secretary of the treasury for information as to the reasons for suspending the payment of bounty to the manufacturers of sugar.

## House and Senate Bills.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Among the bills introduced in the house yesterday were the following: By Mr. Hubbard of Montana—To define the crime of "train-wrecking with the intention to rob," and to provide the penalty of death therefor. By Mr. S. S. Barney—A bill to provide for the collection of duty on importations of barley and its products.

Among the more important bills introduced in the senate were the following: By Mr. Hawley—Providing for the organization of a reserve militia. By Mr. Gallinger—To exclude aliens from government employ. By Mr. Frye—A joint resolution for an amendment to the constitution acknowledging God in that instrument.

## Will Hold a Miners' Convention.

Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 17.—The executive committees representing the Ohio coal miners and operators have been in joint session for three days trying to settle the wage scale for next year and agree upon points of differences. Failing, it was last night decided to call a joint state convention to meet here December 27, when the whole matter will be referred to that body. Arbitrator Little will be asked in the meantime whether he intended in his decision that a differential of 5 cents a ton should be paid where company stores are conducted.

## Philadelphia Street Car Men Strike.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 17.—At 4 o'clock this morning the street car lines of this city were tied up in a general strike. That step was decided upon last night. The conductors and motormen are waging war for an increase of wages, shorter hours and the privilege of belonging to the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employees.

## M.M.BOSTWICK WEDS AT OCONOMOWOC

**JANESVILLE MAN MARRIED TO MISS MILDRED WHITNEY.**

Ceremony Was Performed at the Home of the Bride's Parents and Mr. and Mrs. Bostwick Will Make Their Home at The Ethical Building, Milwaukee.

Morris M. Bostwick and Miss Mildred Whitney were quietly married at Oconomowoc this afternoon and will make their future home at Milwaukee. This announcement may be something of a surprise to Janesville people, although mutual friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Bostwick have known of the prospective wedding for some time.

The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents at Oconomowoc, and was a very quiet affair. Mr. and Mrs. Bostwick at once left for Milwaukee.

Both are well known to Janesville people. The bride made the Bower City her home all of last summer, she being associated with Miss Feeley. She is highly spoken of by all who know her and has friends without number.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Bostwick and is a member of the Rock County bar, although he did not practice at his chosen profession. He is now the lecturer of the Milwaukee Ethical society and a reception will be given him and his bride at the Ethical building. They will reside in a suite of rooms in this edifice, and many Janesville friends will wish them long life and happiness.

## A SOLDIER BOY IS INJURED.

Patrick Brennan's Arm Broken At the Light Infantry Armory.

While swinging on the bars in the gymnasium at the Light Infantry armory, Patrick Brennan accidentally lost his hold and falling upon the hard wood floor broke the bone in his right leg, Dr. W. H. Palmer being called to dress the injury.

## WILL MEET AT CINCINNATI.

Ohio Town Gets The Next Federation of Labor Session.

New York, Dec. 17.—Contrary to the general expectations, the Federation of Labor did not conclude its work up to the time of adjournment last night and a session will be held today, at which several matters of minor interest will be disposed of. Yesterday the chief work of the convention was the selecting of a city at which to hold the next meeting. Chicago did not make a strong effort to secure the prize, and when the matter was put to a vote Cincinnati and Nashville were the only contestants. The Ohio city won on a vote of 1,700 to 381.

The committee reported adversely on a resolution presented by the Bakers' International union to remove the headquarters of the federation to Chicago.

A resolution was adopted that no more than three federal labor unions shall be chartered in any one city, and no federal labor union shall be recognized as affiliated if its membership consists of a majority of active trade-unionists.

The committee on organization reported favorably for the appropriation of a sum not exceeding \$500 for the organization of the textile workers in the South. The resolution also provides for two men, one from the South and one from the North, to look after the work. The resolution was adopted.

The question of the machinists' trades and troubles was finally settled by agreeing to revoke the charter of the International Machinists' union.

George Francis Train made a brief address on labor topics and was followed by Mrs. Charlotte Smith of Boston, president of the Woman's Rescue league, who told of the position in the industrial world of women.

The committee appointed last week to confer with the managers of the American Tobacco company made a report through Delegate White. The conference was held, but President Duke would not listen to the proposition to have the employees become union workers. The committee recommended that the boycott levied a month ago be continued, and the matter was referred to the committee on labels and boycott.

The committee on resolutions reported favorably on a resolution amending the provisions of the alien laws, making it a penalty for an emigrant to swear falsely about his mission to this country.

The committee on resolutions presented a resolution, the substance of which provides that there should be more voting outside of party lines, and that labor demands labor measures in preference to party measures, and therefore allow more independence at the ballot box. This matter was being discussed at the hour of adjournment and will be taken up again today.

## McCammon Got \$5,000.

Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 17.—The absconding Adams Express agent, George W. McCammon, has been traced to Jackson, Miss., and the police have received a telegram that he left there yesterday for Natchez. He is undoubtedly trying to reach New Orleans, so as to get to Mexico. His stealings will amount to fully \$5,000.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS MEET

Institute Opened at the Baptist Church, Evansville Today

A Sunday school teachers' institute opened in the Baptist church at Evansville this morning, conducted by Rev. J. W. Harris of Chicago, and Rev. E. B. Edmunds, a Sunday school missionary, assisted by Rev. R. H. Colby of Waukegan; Rev. E. W. White of Milwaukee, and Rev. B. Hoyt Leland of Berlin. It will continue through tomorrow the program being as follows:

TUESDAY—FIRST DAY—EVENING.  
7:00—Prayer.  
7:15—"A Mind and Heart to Know the Truth"  
7:30—"The Sacredness of the Teacher's Office"  
8:15—"The Sacredness of the Teacher's Office"  
9:00—Collection and Adjournment.  
WEDNESDAY—SECOND DAY—FORENOON.  
9:30—A statement by Rev. J. W. Harris, superintendent of the institute, of the purpose, of the time, methods, success and needs of the school where institute is held.  
9:45—Parlor Conference.  
10:15—The Scriptural Basis of the Sunday School.  
10:30—Questions Answered.  
AFTERNOON.  
2:00—Prayer.  
2:15—Opening Exercises.  
2:30—"The Importance of Personal Work"  
3:15—The Bible.  
4:00—"The Work of the Primary Teacher"  
EVENING.  
7:00—Prayer and Promise.  
7:30—"Literature of the Bible"  
8:15—"Our Sunday School Society"  
9:00—Collection and Adjournment.

## HOW TO GET THE HUMANE OFFICER

Telephone Stephens' Pharmacy—Groundless Case Investigated—Society Active.

In the future all messages that are intended for the Humane Society may be telephoned to C. D. Stevens' pharmacy. During the past week an unusually large number of calls have been received, but in nearly every instance they were delivered too late to receive the attention of the officers. One of the last cases to be reported to the society was that four horses which were said to be slowly but surely starving to death in a First ward barn. Officer Kenyon at once made an investigation, and found that the horses, instead of being starving, were in as fine a kept lot as any man cares to own. There was very little feed in the barn where Officer Kenyon called but the owner said he had just fed his last pan full of oats and was about to purchase more at once.

The Humane society intend to keep a sharp lookout the coming winter for all cases of cruelty to animals, and all brutal and inhuman owners of dumb beasts will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

## VERY LITTLE BARLEY IS MOVING

Bakers are Holding Their Grain in Hope of Getting More For It.

Janesville's barley market is about as quiet as present as it has been in many a day and the present outlook is not very encouraging. A well known local buyer says that the farmers throughout the country are moving very little grain, for the reason that they are getting very little for it. The raisers who can afford to keep it are holding it now for a better market. A local grain firm who have shipped a few cars, say that in every instance they have lost money on the deal, and how farmers can expect local firms to pay higher prices at the present state of the market, is, they say, only one of the many questions that buyers would like to be able to figure out and answer.

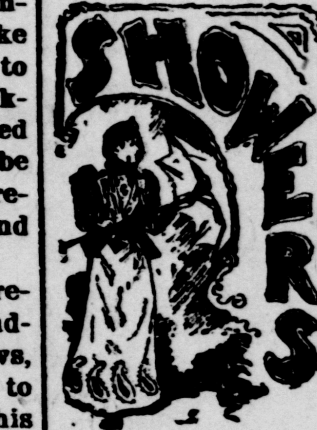
## CONDUCTORS GIVE A BALL FEB. 13

Annual Party Will Relieve All Previous Efforts.

At a recent meeting of the conductors' committee, it was decided to hold their annual ball at the Armory on the evening of February 13. The conductors' parties in the past have been known as one of the leading society events of the Bower City, and the event scheduled for the thirteenth will be no exception to the rule. Smith's full orchestra has been engaged, and the Armory will be handsomely decorated for the occasion.

## Just Take Your Choice.

Forecast: Showers turning to snow tonight. Generally fair Wednesday. Colder with moderate cold wave.



The temperature as recorded by S. C. Burnham & Co. during the last twenty-four hours was as follows:  
7 a. m. ... 44 above  
1 p. m. ... 52 above  
Max. ... 52 above  
Min. ... 36 above  
8 p. m. ... 41 above

## 12 Cent Linen Sale.

Tomorrow we will sell about 300 pieces of linen doilies, tray cloths, center pieces, splashers and towels worth up to 50 cents, at the uniform price of 12 cents. You will have to come early for first choice. Bort, Bally & Co.

## Nebraska Bank Closes.

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 17.—The German National Bank, capital \$100,000, is in the hands of the United States Bank Examiner, and will not reopen. The deposits are \$49,000; rediscounts, \$33,000. Inability to pay rediscounts caused the trouble. There was a slight run on some of the other banks and the Lincoln Savings gave its statutory sixty days' notice and immediate payment was refused on time certificates. Both institutions are light, and no serious trouble is anticipated.

## WILL SUE THE CITY BECAUSE OF A FALL

**FRED HYER WANTS DAMAGES FROM THE MUNICIPALITY.**

His Wife Fell in Front of the Burpee Residence on Pleasant Street—Now Ill at the Residence of Relatives in Town and Cannot Be Taken Home.

And the city is to be sued again. This time Fred Hyer, a farmer living in the town of Janesville is the plaintiff to be, and he will bring action to recover damages for injuries received by reason of a fall on the sidewalk in front of the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Burpee on Pleasant street. Mrs. Hyer, it is said, was quite seriously hurt.

"She is now at the home of L. Bishel, No. 6 Chatham street," said Mr. Hyer to a Gazette man this afternoon, "and is unable to be taken home. I have talked with my lawyers and they think the case a good one. I shall certainly bring suit."

Dr. Q. O. Sutherland, who attended Mrs. Hyer, says she is quite ill, and has been vomiting blood today.

## TALK HEARD ABOUT THE TOWN.

GLASSWARE all kinds at the Annex. Lamps in great variety at the Annex.

Don't forget the dance tonight in the armory. Smith's orchestra.

The Light Infantry will give a dance in the armory tonight. Smith's orchestra will play.

The largest line of toys the city has ever seen, anything the children ever saw or could wish for. Lowell's Annex.

The fifth dance of the series will be given tonight in the armory by the Light Infantry. Smith will furnish the music.

Slippers! slippers! slippers! We have them. All sizes and all color bindings. Come to us for slippers. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

Our special sale for tonight is fine hemstitched Swiss handkerchiefs at 34 cents each. The sale is for this evening only. Bort, Bailey & Co.

If you wish to make some one's feet as well as the heart glad, give them a pair of Marshall shoes. They wear like iron. Lowell's Annex.

If you want to make yourself solid with your last girl, make her a present of a pair of our satin, saten or felt, fur trimmed nullifiers. Nothing makes a more desirable Christmas present. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

PERFECT workmanship and nicety of adjustment are the first requisites you should see to in buying a watch. A. F. Hall & Co., "the reliable jewellers" look after all these things and guarantee their watches "to go," not only correctly but permanently. A Christmas watch is the one that's kept so in giving give a good one.

## A Lady Tortured By Dyspepsia 14 Years

For fourteen years I have suffered the tortures of dyspepsia. Often for weeks, months and years I was not able to eat a full meal, or drink even cold water; and would frequently have excruciating cramps in my stomach, side and spine, so that my friends thought I would die in the paroxysms. I have consulted many physicians; some told me I had cancer of the stomach, others told me my stomach was closing up, and they all said I would never get rid of these cramps. A friend of mine, Mrs. Parks who lives in Milwaukee, wrote me of Septicide, and recommended it so strongly that I sent for a bottle. At that time I was an intense sufferer and was not expected to live but a short time. Before I finished the first bottle I was much better, and now after using five bottles I am comparatively well, and best of all I can eat almost anything I desire. We have also seen so much of the effects of this remedy for other afflictions, that we believe it will do all you claim for it. I am now strong and able to work very hard with comfort for one of my age, 60 years. Mrs. M. A. McWhorter, Waseca, Minn. Sold by Prentice & Evenson, opposite the postoffice.

## USED A REVOLVER.

Head of Tennessee's Supreme Court Attempts Murder.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Dec. 17.—Chief Justice D. L. Snodgrass of the Supreme court of Tennessee shot and painfully injured Lawyer John R. Beasley in the law office of Congressman Brown, in this city, a few minutes before noon yesterday. Judge Snodgrass entered the law office to see Mr. Spurlock, who is the partner of Congressman Brown. Mr. Beasley was sitting at a desk, and the judge, walking up to him, denounced an article in yesterday morning's Times which appeared over him (Beasley's) signature as a lie. Mr. Beasley protested that it was the truth. They came to blows, and Judge Snodgrass drew a pistol and shot at Beasley twice. One ball entered the left arm near the wrist and came out near the elbow. The other ball lodged in the ceiling. The charges made by Mr. Beasley in his card to the Times were to the effect that the Supreme court rendered a decision in the railroad debt case of the state from a political standpoint and not from justice. Judge Snodgrass went before Justice Tom Cowart -- 1 waived trial.



## A FIREBUG WORKED IN A CLINTON BARN

KEROSENE WAS USED TO  
START A BLAZE.

Luckily the Work of the Vandal Was Discovered in Time—Edward Hamilton, An Old Resident, Dead at Milton—Afton News and Notes—County Happenings.

Clinton, Dec. 17.—Saturday night about 10:30 o'clock, this village was aroused by an alarm of fire. The blaze was soon located in the barn of Mr. Elliott, on South Durand street. The fire company responded in excellent shape and soon had the fire under control. The fire was the work of an incendiary who entered the alley between Mr. Elliott's and Ex-Sheriff Babcock's barn and broke out the window. He then saturated blankets and robes which lay in a sleigh near the widow, with kerosene and applied the torch. The fire was first discovered by George Anderson and Henry Rustad who were on their way home. Mr. Anderson gave the alarm while Mr. Rustad rushed to the barn and got the horse and sleigh out. With the assistance of the citizens the fire company had the fire out with small damage to the barn which was

church on Sunday last. William Ashby and wife rejoice over the advent of a girl who came to brighten their home on Sunday. Miss Bertha Merrill of Waukesha is making her sister, Mrs. Hastings an extended visit. A missionary meeting was held Thursday afternoon at Abe Hettrick's residence. Fred Wallahan of Alden, Ill., is home for a short time visiting his parents and old friends. A number from here attended the donation at Plymouth on Friday evening and report a most enjoyable time. Charles Wright had a serious tip over on Tuesday night while on his way to church. Charles McDonald and wife are at home now to their friends. Miss Fannie Richards made a flying visit to Evansville on Friday of last week. Tom Ogden has recently purchased a gasoline engine from parties in Janesville. Edna Stapleton is sick, Dr. Lacy being in attendance daily. Her brother Fred, is also under the doctor's care.

AFTON WOODMEN MADE MERRY  
Public Installation To Be Held—Other Breezy News Items.

Afton, Dec. 17.—The Modern Woodmen had a well attended and lively meeting last Saturday evening, at which officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: V. C. Frank P. Starr; W. A. George S. Otis; E. B. David Throne; clerk, Albert R. Waite; escort, James W. Seales; watchman,

## BIG CROWD ATTEND THE DEDICATION

Y. M. C. A. BUILDING IS FORMALLY OPENED.

Ringed Speeches Were Made, Songs Sung and History Quoted—Secretary Kline's Name Cheered by the Audience—The Concert Tonight For the Band's Benefit.

Janesville's handsome new Y. M. C. A. building was formally dedicated last night, an audience of one thousand people being present. Standing room was at a premium, and the occasion was a notable one. Tonight the band concert will be given, and a large audience is hoped for.

Last night's programme opened with music by the Y. M. C. A. band and singing led by C. B. Willis, of Milwaukee, followed. President E. E. Loomis then told of the work the building was consecrated to, and what it meant to the people. His address explained the policy of the association very clearly, and was an interesting talk from all points of view.

B. F. Dudwiddie and John M. Whitehead, the first and second presidents of the association, both made feeling addresses. Music followed these speeches, and Secretary of the

M. C. A. week, when much hustling was done by the ladies of the auxiliary for funds, which culminated in the never to be forgotten union meeting in the Congregational church in the evening, when the subscription list was cleared up. The first meeting in the new building was held on that day in the afternoon.

State Secretary Anderson Present. State Secretary F. E. Anderson, of Milwaukee, then addressed the meeting and complimented the association highly for the outcome of their patient, painstaking and often discouraging work.

The vocal solo by C. B. Willis that followed, was enthusiastically applauded, and he responded to an on core. Prayer by Dr. Hodge closed the programme; the doxology was sung; the benediction pronounced by Rev. E. H. Pence, and the meeting was at an end.

The present officers of the association are:

President—E. E. Loomis.  
Vice President—C. S. Cleland.  
Recording Secretary—H. J. Cunningham.  
Treasurer—O. G. Bennett.  
General Secretary—J. C. Kline.  
Directors—W. S. Jeffries, J. V. Norcross, H. M. Hanson, W. J. Cannon, W. E. Clinton, M. H. Soverhill, W. G. Palmer and C. H. Kueck.

The concert at the new building tonight will be a rare musical treat, the program being as follows:

Selection.....Y. M. C. A. Band  
Reading.....Y. M. C. A. Band  
Vocal Selection.....Y. M. C. A. Male Quartet  
Piano Solo.....Miss Ada Pond  
Vocal Selection, Ladies' Quartet, Composed of Mrs. A. O. Wilson, Mrs. Hugh Menzies, Miss Franc Edwards and Mrs. S. B. Lewis.  
Violin Solo.....Edward Holmes, Chicago  
Vocal Solo.....Archie Crawford  
Selection.....Y. M. C. A. Band  
Vocal Duet.....Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Landes  
Piano Duet.....Mrs. W. T. Sherer and Mrs. F. F. Lewis  
Violin Solo.....Edward Holmes  
Vocal Selection.....Ladies' Quartet

### LOCAL NEWS IN A LINE.

CHRISTMAS goods at Lowell's Annex.  
FUR tippets 49 cents at The Annex.  
CHRISTMAS goods at Lowell's Annex.  
Good time keepers for \$1.98. Lowell's Annex.

OPEN every evening until Christmas Lowell's Annex.

ELEGANT new salad and fruit dishes The Annex.

LARGE variety of bread and milk sets at Lowell's Annex.

FINE bay mare for sale cheap. Inquire F. J. Bailey at Bort, Bailey & Co.

LADIES' or gents' kid mittens, a large line of them just received at the Annex.

FANCY handkerchiefs either silk or linen, all sizes and prices. Lowell's Annex.

New crochet silks, all colors, high grade article 10 cents a ball. Lowell's Annex.

HOT snaps for cold snaps, combination wool boot and overs at Brown Bros. & Lincoln's.

MONEY to loan at 6 per cent per annum on productive real property. B. B. Eldredge.

A PETTY banquet lamp makes a nice Christmas present. We have many of them that are inexpensive. Lowell's Annex.

We shall continue our sale of fine trousers for one day more, Wednesday. A great chance to patch up the winter suit. We offer for \$3.50 a line of \$5 and \$6 pants for today and tomorrow. T. J. Zeigler.

RIDER'S Racket! Two stores full of toys and Christmas goods. Cheaper than ever. Overflow store, 159 Milwaukee street. Dolls, hobby horses, doll buggies, sleds, drums, juvenile books and everything.

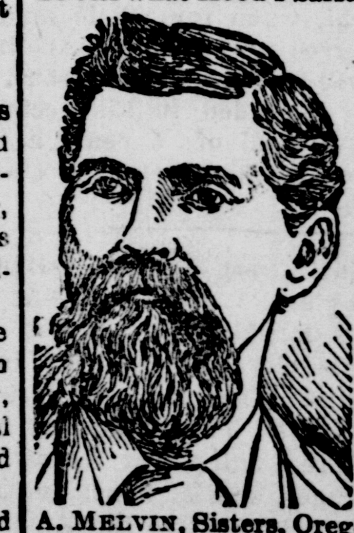
"THE Midnight Flood," which is said to be an exciting play, rich in dramatic situation and climaxes and containing a number of strongly drawn types of character, comes to Myers Grand Opera House on Thursday night, December 19.

How often do you buy a suit of clothes or an overcoat and find out, when it is too late, that after a little wear it loses its style and shape and looks shabby? The famous C. & B. will not serve you in this way. It is strong and well made. S. D. Grubb, Sole Agent.

"THE Midnight Flood" is one of the most deftly constructed plays ever written, and is presented by a company meriting the warmest praise for careful and interesting delineation of character. Scenery for the production is carried complete, including the great bridge scene, etc. The songs include all the latest successes and parodies. This attraction comes to Myers Opera House on Thursday night Dec. 19.

## I Am Glad

To tell what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for me. I had rheumatism in my legs and frequently I had to get up at night and walk to relax the muscles. I also had stomach trouble. I took Hood's Sarsaparilla, which has cured the rheumatism and helped my stomach trouble. Hood's Pills are the best I ever took. H. A. MELVIN, Sisters, Oregon. Remember Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier. \$1. Hood's Pills easy to buy, easy to take, easy in effect. 4 cents.



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THE BIG STORE 26, 22, 24, 26, S. MAIN ST., JANESVILLE, WIS.  
WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP

We suspected it.

Still in doubt about what to get for Christmas remembrances? In the words of Uncle Zeke: "T'won't take so mighty long if ye go to th' right place." Naturally you'd think of

The Big Store. KID GLOVES make excellent gifts and are always appropriate. For the benefit of people in doubt as to the size required

We will exchange Gloves not the right size, if they have not been tried on.

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CELEBRATED  
KID GLOVES  
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ALL FIRST QUALITY GLOVES  
BRANDED WITH OUR NAME  
IN FULL IN LEFT HAND GLOVE

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.

We are sole agents in the city for Centemer Kid Gloves; they stand at the head. Our Glove stock comprises all that's new in glace (dressed); and suede (undressed) qualities, for street and evening wear and only makes that have been proved good by wear. We have lately introduced

**The Chase Patent Thumb Glove.**



The Perfection of Fit, Elegance & Comfort



It seems to give good satisfaction and is fast making friends. A feature of this Glove is the construction of the thumb at its base; being one continuous piece, it admits of the severest stretching without fear of straining the Glove and it is an easy matter to button the top button.

Curtains Where can such a line be seen outside of this store? It is a grand stock, an enormous stock, a comprehensive stock. The very latest creations are



Homes all over Southern Wisconsin are the brighter by having the windows curtained from such desirable styles as we show. Prices range from 75c to \$35 a pair. In Curtains at \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00 to \$15.00, what we call the low a medium grades, we show value and styles that can't be excelled and are seldom paralleled.



resembling wool comes in all of the evening shades; it is prettiest cotton novelty we have yet seen—simply exquisite—25c.

## For Sale!

My interest in the EAGLE CIGAR BOX & LABEL CO., established 1884; to an energetic and capable road man this will be found the chance of a life-time.

MY ELEGANT NEW HOME. Has more modern improvements than any residence in city. No fair offer will be refused.

THE BEST UNIMPROVED BUSINESS LOTS IN JANESVILLE, opposite Court House Park.

TWO HOUSES on corner Linn and North streets. Will pay ten per cent on the investment.

L. R. TREAT.

**A. REED & SONS. PIANOS.**

NEW DEPARTURE IN PIANO CONSTRUCTION.

A Grand Piano

in Upright shape.

Strings Resting

on aluminum wheels.

Deepest and purest tone ever heard. Call and see them.

H. F. NOTT,

57 West Milwaukee Street.

I want to Sell you Groceries And sell them Awful cheap For Cash!

Best Granulated (not China) Sugar per lb.... 5c  
Best Breakfast Java Coffee, per lb..... 25c  
Best Soaps, all kinds..... 4c  
Best Patent Flour, per sack..... 90c  
Best Spearhead and Climax Plug..... 40c  
Good Plug Tobacco..... 20 and 25c  
Best Smoking Tobacco..... 15c  
Best Oat Meal per lb. only..... 12c  
All other Groceries at correspondingly low prices. I have the choicest line of NEW TEAS ever seen. With every pound of 40c or 50c tea I give an elegant Tea Cup and Saucer. Or one lb. of best Chocolates or Caramels, gratis. With every lb. of 25 or 30c Tea I give one lb. of fancy Mixed Candy, gratis. All teas sold by me can be tested at my Tea Counter. I invite all to call and take a cup of Tea any time, gratis, whether you buy or not.

Respectfully,  
**W. T. VanKirk,**  
(Regulator of Prices in Groceries.)

Economy.

Don't purchase Storm Sash until you see the Pagan Felt Weather Strip. It is absolutely the best on the market; keeps out the wind and cold, dust, smoke and dirt. Good in summer as in winter. Get my prices before you purchase.  
6 1/2 N. Blu. St. GEO. BARRIAGE

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES.

To whom it may concern! The tax rolls and warrants for the collection of state and county taxes in the city of Janesville, Wis. are now in my hands for collection, and all persons indebted are requested to make payment thereof at the office of the city treasurer, as the same will be collected at the cost, under expense to the persons liable for the payment of said taxes.  
J. A. FATHERS, City Treasurer.  
Dated Janesville, Wis., Dec. 4, 1895.

STOP! STOP!

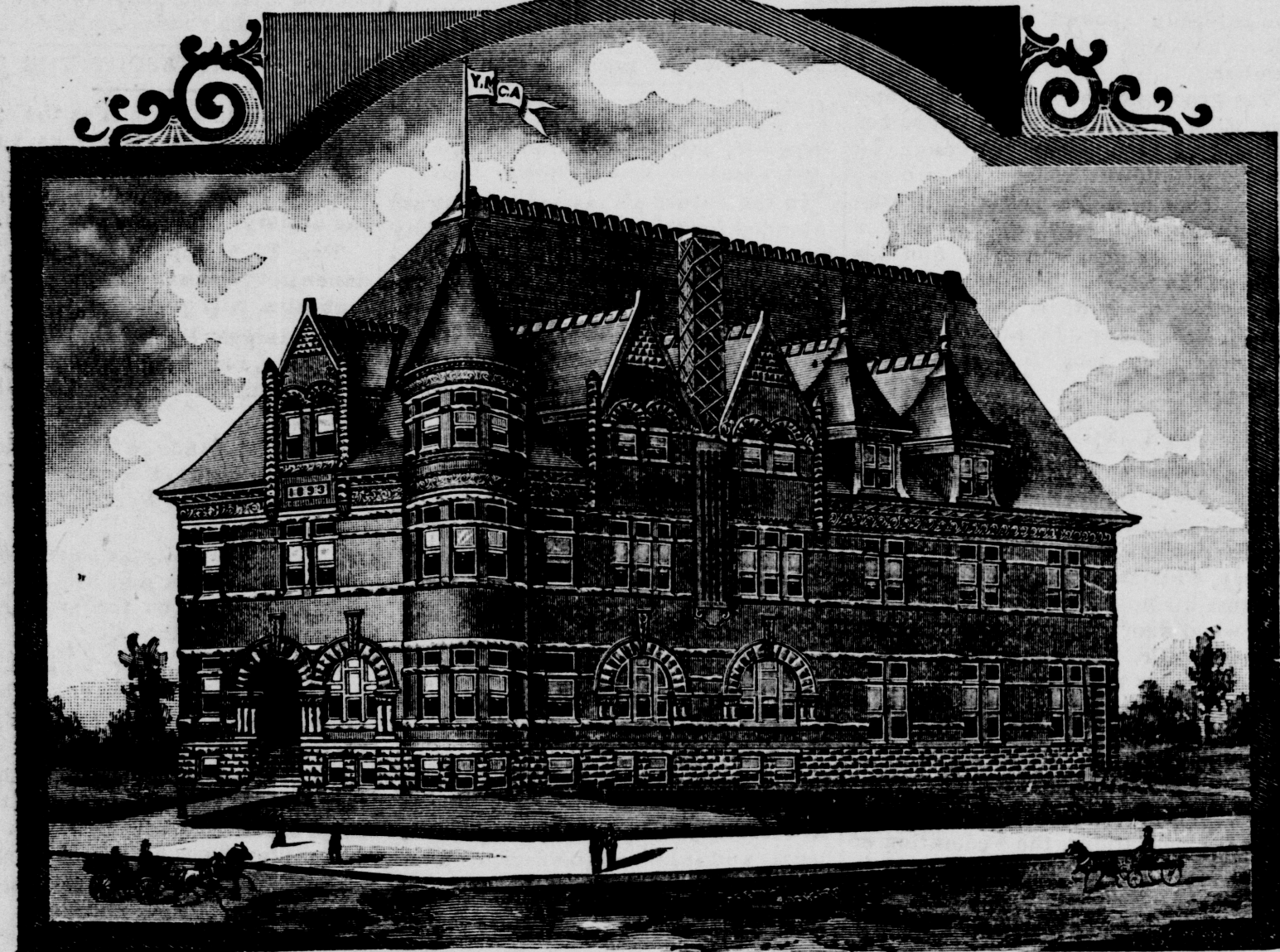
The wind blowing through your doors and windows by using the best and most practical weather strip in the market. The Norris Perfection Wood Weather Strip will keep the wind and snow out in winter and dust and mths summer. Leave your orders at W. T. Sherer & Co's. drug store or J. B. Green's planing mill. Charles Viney, 174 Washington street.

Here We are Again for Low Prices

3 cans Corn..... \$ .25  
3 cans Gooseberries..... .25  
3 lbs. White Fish..... .25  
3 lbs. Sardines..... .25  
2 lbs. Columbia River Salmon..... .25  
3 lbs. Tomatoes..... .25  
1 lb. Baking Powder..... .18  
3 lbs. Baking Powder..... .50  
25 bars Soap..... 1.00  
Choice Patent Flour..... .83  
Fancy Patent Flour..... .87  
Pig Pork, per lb..... .07  
Full Cream Cheese, per lb..... .10  
Pickles, 15c gal., 2 gals. for..... .25  
O. G. ROBERTS,  
South Main St., opp. Court House Park.

**MAN AND BOLLARD**

ALL KINDS OF ARCHITECTURAL CABINET AND DECORATIVE GRILL WORK WOOD WORK.  
4-M. RIVER ST. JANESVILLE WIS.



THE NEW BUILDING.

covered by insurance. Mrs. R. Cheever and Mrs. E. S. Smith are visiting relatives and friends in Buffalo, N. Y. About twenty-five of our young people attended the dedication of the Y. M. C. A. building at Janesville on Monday evening last. Uncle Tom's cabin show troupe with two cars passed through here on Saturday last. The lecture at the Baptist church on Friday evening last was well attended. J. B. Anderson is now employed by the C. & N. W. R'y. Co. There were over three tons of dressed turkeys shipped from here to Boston last Saturday. Mrs. W. H. Crow of Center, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. S. M. Fisher, the past few days. Mrs. Kush Hanks was called to Milwaukee on Monday last by the sudden death of her daughter's little baby.

### FOOTVILLE NEWS AND NOTES.

Mr. Edgerton Getting Ready to Rebuild—Wayne Kellogg Recovering.

Footville, Dec. 17.—Mr. Edgerton, who had the misfortune to be burned out last fall, is having a large quantity of stone drawn for the purpose of erecting a fine residence in the spring. Mrs. Lucy Parmley is visiting her old-time friend, Mrs. Margaret Snyder. The many friends of Miss Hettie Dann will be pleased to know that she is able to be around after having had a broken ankle for some months. John Fox, who has been confined to his home for a month, is now able to be about again and greet all his old customers. Miss Myrtle Silverthorn had the present of a fine cloak recently from a friend. Wayne Kellogg, who was bitten by one of his swine, is on the road to recovery. The Woodmen met on Saturday evening and elected officers for the ensuing year, an unusually large crowd being present. Bentley Bemis, an old Footville boy, who is now traveling for a cutlery Co., made his parents a flying visit on Saturday. Mrs. Millsap of Chicago, attended services at the M. E.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair, DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER MOST PERFECT MADE. A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Res from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

Peter Drafahl; sentry, John Bartels; manager for three years, William Brinkman. The camp voted to have a public installation of officers next month, and committees were appointed to have the matter in charge. The Baptist Sunday School entertainment will hold their Christmas tree entertainment next Tuesday evening. The Sunday School Institute will open Thursday evening and continue all day Friday of this week. All are invited to attend the session. C. J. Antislid, though slightly better is still confined to his bed. Town Treasurer Otis expects to soon be at his labor of tax collecting. Once more Afton finds itself without an unoccupied house in the village limits.

THE WEEKS DOINGS AT MILTON  
Carload Shipments of Freight—Death of William Hamilton.

Milton, Dec. 17.—The carload shipments from this station last week were as follows: Three cars of live stock, one of hay and one car of barley. Freight received included one car of flour, two of coal, one of lumber, one of household goods and five of tobacco. Edward F. Hamilton died Sunday afternoon. Deceased has been ill for months and for several weeks has not been able to leave his bed. He was one of the early settlers in the county. Funeral arrangements have not been made at the time we write. John Home, of Duluth, who has been visiting at the old homestead, returned to his northern home Monday. W. H. Plumb, nephew of J. C. Plumb, who has been in his uncle's employ for some time, will spend the winter in Madison. Mr. Roethe, of the Highland Press, was in the village Saturday. Holiday trade doesn't boom very much, with oats at fifteen cents per bushel. The winter term of the college begins today.

Rock River News  
Rock River, Dec. 17.—E. P. Saunders of Milton, preached at this place last Sabbath. Jennie Rose, who is teaching school in Harmony spent Saturday and Sunday at home. The young people of this place made a wood bee at the church last Thursday evening and sawed and piled wood for the winter. Eddie Babcock and Eli Looftboro of Milton, attended church here last Sabbath. Myrtle Maxwell will attend school at Milton college this winter. Mr. and Mrs. John Green visited relatives at Edgerton one day last week.

You Can't Do Better.  
One of the most useful presents for children that any person can give is a pair of slippers, and the one day to buy them is at Brown Bros' & Lincoln's.

Don't Be Hypnotized  
With shoddy shoes; it don't pay. The best is always the cheapest, and the best is always kept at Brown Bros' & Lincoln's.

Board H. J. Cunningham then arose to quote a little history. His paper dealt with the progress of the association, and he sketched its development from its organization to the present time.

Secretary Kline's Name Cheered  
When Mr. Cunningham mentioned the name of General Secretary J. C. Kline the audience applauded vigorously, thus showing their appreciation of the efforts of a man who has worked night and day, summer and winter, to make last night's celebration possible.

Mr. Cunningham's paper began with the conferences held on January 16th and 17th, 1892. The next meeting was held in Sandall's shoe store on January 18th, and on March 4th of that year the association was incorporated. On March 12th the first meeting of the association was held in the Business Men's rooms, at which B. F. Dunwiddie was elected president. August 16th at a meeting of the board of directors, the president and secretary were instructed to buy the lot at the corner of Milwaukee and North High streets, and an assessment of 33 per cent. was made on the subscriptions.

Whitehead Made President.  
January 31st, J. M. Whitehead was elected president. The society had no general secretary, but at a meeting of the board of directors held April 8, 1893, a call was extended to J. C. Kline to fill the position for three months, and Mr. Kline accepted and entered upon his work, the first meeting at which he was present being held April 18, 1893. The rooms of the Caledonian society were then secured as temporary headquarters of the association.

May 17 the plans for the new building were adopted, the top soil dirt and fence were sold from the lot. May 24 the contract for the excavation and mason work up to the water table was let to Edward Rathen for \$1,779, and the second assessment of 33 per cent. was made on subscriptions.

October 16 the contract for the enclosing of the building was let to W. H. Blair, James Shearer and L. F. Hallway, and the last assessment was made on the subscriptions.

Dr. Loomis Took Hold.  
December 6th Dr. E. E. Loomis was elected president to fill the unexpired term of J. M. Whitehead, whose resignation was accepted at this meeting, April 13, 1894, the corner stone was laid the work of enclosing the building pushed forward.

October 18th to 21st, 1894, the state Y. M. C. A. convention was held in this city. On the evening of Sunday, October 21st, at the Congregational church a union meeting was held and \$3,000 subscribed.

Between January 21, 1895, and September 18th, the contracts for the plastering inside finishing, lighting and heating were let.

October 27 to November 2d was Y.



# THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

## THE COUNCIL MET LAST NIGHT

No Business of Importance Was Transacted—Railroad Gates Talked Of.

In the absence of both Mayor Baines and President of the Council Heddles, Alderman Sutherland, on motion of Alderman Winslow, was elected president pro tem. Aldermen Heddles, Kothman, McLean and Smith were the absentees. The reading of the journal was dispensed with; Paul L. Henrich's appointment as a member of the fire police was confirmed; the treasurer's report was received, referred, found correct and filed; the saloon license of James Ennis was transferred to Alex McClellan, whose bond was reported as sufficient; the report of the city engineer on the sidewalk line on South Bluff street, was received, referred, found correct, and adopted; a number of bills were ordered paid on the motion of Alderman Hemming, of the finance committee; and Alderman Hemming presented the following report.

"Your committee have caused a sufficient amount to be done by the roller to demonstrate its utility, and report that the work done by it upon the streets has in all respects proved satisfactory."

"We have also caused a proper shed with bins for the different grades of crushed stone, to be erected at the Millmore quarry."

"We have also employed D. D. Bennett to take charge of the roller when in use, and have arranged to pay him \$2 per day when engaged, his time to be kept by the street commissioner."

"Your committee would ask the council to ratify their act in employing Mr. Bennett and in constructing a proper place for storing the crushed stone."

Alderman Winslow introduced an order directing the chairman of the fire and water committee to procure a bath tub and hot water tank for the west side station at an expense not to exceed \$35.00, which was adopted.

Alderman Burnham introduced an order directing the committee on railroads to ascertain and report to the common council the rate of speed at which trains on the C. M. & St. Paul railway cross Gold street near the west end of the railway yard and also whether the company should be compelled to put in gates at such crossings, which was adopted.

Chief Engineer Spencer explained to the council that he had received a Lobe Respirator on fifty days' trial. It was an invention to supply air to a fireman, and enable him to work in the smoke, and was considered a valuable one, having been approved at the U. S. navy yard. The price was \$50. There is a whistle by which alarms can be given. The air passes in from the lower end of the machine, which is carried on the fireman's back, and passes through a gill of glycerine. Any impure air is thus purified before reaching the lungs. Dr. Joe Whiting gave an illustration of the workings of the machine after the council adjourned.

## University Extension Association

The university association meets Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the science room of the new high school. This meeting is of special importance and a full attendance is desired.

V. E. SOUTHWORTH, pres.

LOUISE E. CARPENTER, Secretary.

## CHRISTMAS goods at Lowell's Annex.

If the baby is cutting teeth: Be sure and use that old and tried remedy Mrs. Winslow's SOOTHING Syrup for children. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Piles of people have piles, but De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them. When promptly applied it cures scalds and burns without the slightest pain. C. D. Stevens.

## Holiday Excursions.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul R'y will sell excursion tickets to all points on its lines within a radius of 200 miles, on December 24, 25 and 31, 1895; and January 1, 1896, good for return until and including January 2, 1896, at a fare and a third for the round trip.

## Open Every Night Until Christmas.

The Annex and hardware store will be open every evening until further notice. Lowell Hardware Co.

## Christmas Trees.

Orders left for Christmas trees from 15 cents up. Lowell's Annex.

An Enigmatical Bill of Fare, For a dinner served on the dining cars of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, will be sent to any address on receipt of a two cent postage at m. p. Apply to George H. Hesford, General Passenger Agent, Old Colony Building, Chicago, Ill.

## CHRISTMAS goods at Lowell's Annex.

Wife—Here's an account of a man who shot himself rather than suffer the pangs of indigestion. Husband—The fool! Why didn't he take De Witt's Little Early Risers? I used to suffer as bad as he did before I commenced taking those little pills. C. D. Stevens.

## Reduced Rates to Atlanta.

On account of the Cotton States and International Exposition at Atlanta, Ga., the Northwestern line is now selling excursion tickets at reduced rates. For tickets and full information apply to agents, Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

## A Good Book To Have in Your Valise.

Not a holiday gift book exactly, but a very handy book at any time of year, is the Rand McNally railway guide, the December edition of which is just out.

## CHRISTMAS goods at Lowell's Annex.

## LIEUT. HANSON MADE CAPTAIN

He Succeeds C. F. Glass in Command of the Light Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Charles H. Hanson was last night elected captain of the Janesville Light Infantry to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Captain C. F. Glass. First Sergeant Walter S. Kerry was chosen a



second lieutenant in place of Lieutenant Hanson. The election was by ballot and will be ratified by a grand reception and ball at the armory tonight.

First Lieutenant Leo Rooney had declared that he would not accept the office of captain.

Captain Hanson is one of the best known of the Janesville militiamen and will make a most excellent commander. He has been a member of the company for many years and has advanced to his present position from the ranks.

## ATTACKS SECRETARY SMITH.

Accused of Nepotism in Connection with the Allotment of Lands.

Washington, Dec. 16.—The first serious passage at arms occurred in the house yesterday when Mr. Flynn (rep., of Oklahoma), asked unanimous consent for the consideration of a resolution calling upon the secretary of the interior to inform the house the reasons for the delay in the appointment of the allotting agents to allot lands to the Wichita Indians, and whether any of the blood connections of the secretary of the interior were interested in delaying the openings of those lands to settlement. Mr. McMillin (dem., of Tennessee), thought the resolution was not drawn in the usual form.

Mr. Flynn made a brief explanation of the purport of the resolution. He declared that the allotting agents required by law to be appointed had not been appointed.

"It is a well-known fact," said he, "that Hoke Smith has a lot of relations who are profiting by the delay in this matter. They are acting as attorneys for the Indians."

His attack on the secretary of the interior was bitter. He said among other things that he had seen a contract by which a man was to receive \$2,700 if he could prevent Secretary Smith from ratifying an agreement. The resolution was finally adopted without division.

Mr. Cannon (rep., of Illinois), offered a resolution for the consideration today of the amendments to the rules for the increase of the leading committees from fifteen to seventeen (the number in the last house) and for the creation of an additional committee on elections. The resolution was adopted after Mr. Crisp stated that the minority would not object to consideration or to increased membership, but certainly would oppose the creation of an additional elections committee.

## Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Dec. 16.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the Chicago board of trade today:

| Articles.   | High.    | Low.     | Close.   |
|-------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Wht-No. 2.  | Dec. 16. | Dec. 14. |          |
| Dec. ...    | 56 1/2   | 55 1/2   | 56 1/2   |
| Jan. ...    | 56 1/2   | 55 1/2   | 56 1/2   |
| May ...     | 60       | 59 1/4   | 59 1/2   |
| Corn—       |          |          |          |
| Dec. ...    | 25 1/2   | 25 1/4   | 25 1/4   |
| Jan. ...    | 25 1/2   | 25 1/4   | 25 1/4   |
| May ...     | 28 1/2   | 28       | 28 1/4   |
| Oats—       |          |          |          |
| Dec. ...    | 16 1/2   | 16 1/4   | 16 1/4   |
| Jan. ...    | 17       | 17       | 17       |
| Feb. ...    | 17 1/2   | 17 1/4   | 17 1/4   |
| May ...     | 19 1/2   | 18 1/2   | 19 1/4   |
| Pork—       |          |          |          |
| Dec. ...    | 8.00     | 7.95     | 7.95     |
| Jan. ...    | 8.65     | 8.50     | 8.62 1/2 |
| May ...     | 9.00     | 8.87 1/2 | 8.87 1/2 |
| Lard—       |          |          |          |
| Dec. ...    | 5.22 1/2 | 5.22 1/4 | 5.15     |
| Jan. ...    | 5.35     | 5.32 1/2 | 5.30     |
| May ...     | 5.57 1/2 | 5.55     | 5.57 1/2 |
| Short ribs— |          |          |          |
| Dec. ...    | 4.32 1/2 | 4.30     | 4.30     |
| Jan. ...    | 4.35     | 4.32 1/2 | 4.35     |
| May ...     | 4.57 1/2 | 4.55     | 4.57 1/2 |

## Lutheran synod in session.

La Porte, Ind., Dec. 17.—The conference of the Chicago district of the Lutheran Augustana synod convened in this city yesterday. The sessions are being held in the Swedish Lutheran church, and, with four exceptions, every congregation in the district, which embraces eastern Illinois, southern Wisconsin, southern Michigan and northern Indiana, is represented by delegates. The body will adjourn tonight. The visiting clergymen and lay delegates are being entertained in the homes of the Swedish citizens.

## DOINGS OF THE DAY IN THE TOWN

New jewelry at the Annex.

CRACKER jars at The Annex.

FANCY hair pins at The Annex.

JEWELRY, all kinds, at the Annex.

CHRISTMAS goods at Lowell's Annex.

CUT glass salts are 19 cents at Wheelock's.

New line of stick pins for five cents at the Annex.

NICKEL plated tea pots at Lowell's Hardware Co's.

For crockery, glassware and lamps go to The Annex.

BEAUTIFUL dinner ware, decorated or plain, at The Annex.

LARGE line of gloves and mittens, all kinds and sizes. Lowell's Annex.

HAVILAND china cups, saucers, fruit plates and salad bowls, at The Annex.

PRETTY sugars and creamers in china, 25 cents per jar at Wheelock's.

DRUMS for the boys. These have are substantial and will last for some time. Lowell's Annex.

HANDY classics Russia leather, bound very nice and very cheap Lowell's Annex.

MORE illustrated books for the children; hundreds of them, all kinds. Lowell's Annex.

CHRISTMAS packages for the county asylum may be left at Ball & Bates until Tuesday noon, December 24

Our goods are all new and the very best. If you see our line and want a present, you will buy of us. Stearns & Baker.

THE best washing machine made is the Western Washer. Lowell Hardware Company are the only people that keep them.

INVITATIONS have been issued for a leap year party to be given by the ladies of the N. O. W. club at the Armory New Years night.

A BEAUTIFUL silk muffler or a plush cap is a useful gift of any gentleman. We have the largest assortment of both in the city. F. H. Baack.

WHAT's the matter with a pocket knife or a pair of skates for a moderate priced Christmas present? Lowell's Hardware Co. keep a great assortment of them.

CHRISTMAS goods at Lowell's Annex.

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If suffering with piles, it will interest you to know that De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them. This medicine is a specific for all complaints of this character, and if instructions (which are simple) are carried out, a cure will result. We have tested this in numerous cases, and always with like results. It never fails. C. D. Stevens.

## Holiday Excursion Rates.

On December 24, 25 and 31, 1895 and January 1, 1896, the Northwestern line will sell excursion tickets at reduced rates to stations within a distance of 200 miles, good for return passage until January 2, 1896, inclusive. For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

## One Minute Cough Cure is rightly named.

It affords instant relief from suffering when afflicted with a severe cough or cold. It acts on the throat, bronchial tubes and lungs and never fails to give immediate relief. C. D. Stevens.

## Meeting of the W. C. T. U.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Temperance Christian Union will be held at the home of Mrs. J. C. Kline, No. 2, Jeffris flat, Wednesday, Dec. 19, at 8 o'clock p. m.

Mrs. J. L. FORD, Sec.

## Don't Be Impudent.

Common sense dictates that it is the best to buy from merchants who are in position to sell you what you want at the right prices. We claim to be the merchants that will always do this. Brown Bros' & Lincoln.

## Don't Forget Yourself.

Buy yourself a new overcoat or suit of Adler Bros' make for a Xmas present and you will not regret it. They are far better than a cheap make. F. H. Baack.

## DeWitt's Little Early Risers for biliousness, indigestion, constipation.

A small pill, a sure cure. C. D. Stevens.

## Watches, Watches, Watches.

The best of timekeepers and very low prices at S. C. Burnham & Co's., jewelers and music dealers.

## Cheap Excursions to the South.

On November 27 and December 11, 1895, the Northwestern line will sell excursion tickets at very low rates to a large number of points in Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Indian Territory, Oklahoma, Texas and Arizona. For tickets and full information, apply to Agents, Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

## WANTED.

A FEW good hustlers to make from \$3 to \$5 a day selling our line of a buns, clocks, silverware and other household holiday goods on monthly payments. No experience or investment necessary. Send for terms. Give street address. John Gately & Co., 21 La Salle St., Chicago.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

POSITIONS—For pushing salesmen on salary. Experience unnecessary. Permanent employment. Apply now. Lake Bros. Co., Nuremberg, Chicago.

WHITEHEAD, Matheson & Smith have several A1 mortgages for sale.

## Recommended by Physicians.

# Horsford's

Baking Powder is itself a Nutritious Food.  
No other powder has this quality.

## Isn't 73c Worth Saving?

On a small list of GROCERIES such as we speak of here you save 53 cents at our store.

|                             | Our Price. | Others' Price     |
|-----------------------------|------------|-------------------|
| Currents per lb.....        | 5c         | per lb 10c        |
| Raisins per lb.....         | 5c         | per lb 10c        |
| Dried Peaches per lb.....   | 5c         | per lb 10c        |
| Canned Corn per can.....    | 5c         | per can 10c       |
| Soap per bar.....           | 3c         | per bar 5c        |
| Tea per lb.....             | 50c        | per lb 60c        |
| Oat meal, the best, lb..... | 3c         | per lb 5c         |
| Rice per lb.....            | 5c         | per lb 8c         |
| Crackers per lb.....        | 5c         | per lb 7c         |
| Allspices, per 1/4 lb.....  | 10c        | per 1/4 lb 12-15c |
| Cottolene per lb.....       | 8c         | per lb 10c        |
| Cotosuet per lb.....        | 8c         | per lb 10c        |
| Syrup per gal.....          | 30c        | per gal 50c       |
| Corn Meal per sack.....     | 15c        | per sack 20c      |
| Total.....                  | \$1.57     | 2.30              |

**\$2.30 LESS \$1.57 LEAVES 73c**

Saved on one deal. A fresh lot of **SMOKED WHITE FISH** just received. We guarantee every article, bought of us to be the highest grade in the market. We do NOT Handle inferior goods.

**A. C. MUNGER,**  
No. 20 North Main street.

## Have you seen

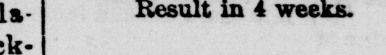


anything of our Jumbos? More than 60,000 of them have been sold by the manufacturers of this celebrated Center Table. Call and see them. Price reduced to suit the times.

**On Monday Dec. 2**  
we will place on sale 1000 Cane Seat and Back Rockers, large size, which cost at wholesale \$2.50. We bought them entire lot at our own price. Our price is \$1.28.

Cotton Top Mattress, \$2.50. Woven Wire Springs, \$1.50.  
Solid Oak Dining Chair, 75c.

**MOSES BROTHERS,**  
Furniture Dealers and Undertakers, 60 W. Mil. St., Janesville.



**Sexine Pills** RESTORE LOST VIGOR  
When in doubt what to use for Nervous Debility, Loss of Sexual Power (in either sex), Impotency, Atrophy, Varicocele and other weaknesses, from any cause, use Sexine Pills. Drains checked and full vigor quickly restored. If neglected, such troubles result fatally. Mailed anywhere, sealed, for \$5.00; 6 boxes for \$25.00. With every \$5.00 order we give a legal guarantee to cure or refund the money. Address: PEAL MEDICINE CO., Cleveland, Ohio.

For Sale by Prentice & Evenson, Janesville.

**The Latter End** of a contract is vastly more important than the first.

Insurance that you can't get after you have paid for it is cheap at half a cent.

Royal Insurance Company.....Net Surplus, \$2,196,429.  
Huffa & German.....Net Surplus, \$1,065,549.  
Traders' Insurance Company.....Net Surplus, \$1,203,516.  
Commercial Union Assurance Company.....Net Surplus, \$1,203,516.  
Pennsylvania National Fire Insurance Company.....Net Surplus, \$1,203,516.

These are but five out of my list of Companies. The figures quoted suggest Safety, Reliability and Ample Protection. These are points worth considering.  
**SILAS HAYNER, Room 10, Jackson Block.**  
TELEPHONE 149

## Railroad Time-Tables.

| Chicago & Northwestern                              | LEAVE FOR | ARRIVE FROM |
|---|-----------|-------------|
| Chgo Via Clinton                                    | 6:35 a m  | 9:30 p m    |
| Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon                           | 7:35 a m  | 8:25 p m    |
| Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon                           | 12:40 p m | 12:40 p m   |
| Chgo Via Clinton Sharon                             | 6:40 p m  | 1:30 a m    |
| Chgo Via Beloit & Harard                            | 7:00 a m  | 6:30 a m    |
| Chgo Via Beloit & Harard                            | 2:10 p m  | 11:25 a m   |
| Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Dekalb & Omaha line     | 12:23 p m | 7:55 p m    |
| Beloit, Rockford, Belvidere & Elgin                 | 6:40 a m  | 12:25 p m   |
| Watertown, Fond Du Lac & Oshkosh                    | 7:00 a m  | 12:15 p m   |
| Watertown, Fond Du Lac & Oshkosh                    | 7:30 a m  | 12:45 p m   |
| Watertown & Juneau Freight                          | 4:00 p m  | 10:40 p m   |
| Watertown   | 8:25 p m  | 7:50 a m    |
| Evansville Brooklyn Oregon Madison & Elroy          | 6:30 a m  |             |
| La Crosse Winona & St Paul                          | 10:50 a m | 3:05 p m    |
| Loyden Fellows Evansville Brooklyn Oregon & Madison | 8:25 p m  | 12:05 a m   |
| Evansville Madison St Paul & Duluth                 | 9:30 p m  | 6:35 a m    |
| Evansville Madison St Paul & Winona & Dakota        | 1:30 a m  | 6:35 p m    |
| Evansville Madison & Elroy                          | 7:30 a m  |             |
| Chgo Via Beloit & Harard                            | 2:15 p m  | 1:15 p m    |
| * Daily * Sunday only.                              |           |             |

| Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.   | Leave For. | Arrive From. |
|---|------------|--------------|
| Milwaukee Whitewater, Waukesha and Chicago  | 7:00 a m   | 9:30 a m     |
| St. Paul, La Crosse, Fortage and Madison  | 7:30 a m   | 9:30 a m     |
| Edgerton, Stoughton and Madison, mixed  | 4:40 p m   | 11:15 a m    |
| Dakota, Iowa, Minnesota and Wisconsin Union   | 11:10 a m  | 1:00 p m     |
| Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit (daily)   | 9:35 a m   | 4:05 p m     |
| Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, Beloit, Rock Island, Cedar Rapids, Dubuque, Clinton, Ia., Omaha, and West Freeport, Racine, Elkhorn and Delavan | 1:10 p m   | 4:05 p m     |
| Beloit, Rockford, Savannah, Sioux City, Omaha, Denver and west fast train   | 6:35 p m   | 9:20 a m     |
| Beloit and Rockford, mixed  | 9:35 p m   | 5:40 p m     |
| Monroe and Mineral Point  | 9:30 a m   | 9:25 a m     |
| Monroe and Mineral Pt. mixed  | 7:15 a m   | 8:30 p m     |
| Monroe and Mineral Pt. * Sunday only  | 9:45 a m   |              |

## MAILS ARRIVE AND GO OUT

| JANESVILLE MAILS.  | Arrive.   | Close.    |
|--|-----------|-----------|
| Chicago, East, West, South-west                          | 6:00 a m  | 9:00 a m  |
| North and North-west                                     | 7:05 a m  | 10:00 a m |
| Chicago, East, North and North-west                      | 9:40 a m  | 12:00 m   |
| Chicago, North, East, West and General                   | 12:40 p m | 6:00 p m  |
| Chicago, East and all points North and West, via Madison | 6:50 p m  | 9:50 p m  |
| Isola  | 11:20 a m |           |

## SUNDAY MAILS.

Chicago, East, South and South-west

North, North-west, Elgin

Chicago, East, West and South

## MONDAY ONLY.

Chicago, East, West and South

## STAGS MAILS.

Johnstown and Richmond

Emerald Grove and Fairfield

11:00 a m 1:00 p m

11:00 a m 2:00 p m

## ACCIDENTS!

## THE TRAVELERS' PREFERRED ACCIDENT ASSOCIATION

Has written Life Insurance business for the past nine years, and at the present time have not an unpaid claim in the United States. They have written more insurance in Janesville than all other companies represented in the city. If your time has a moneyed value protect it by a policy in the Travelers' Preferred Accident Association.

K. W. LOWELL, President.



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**THE OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.**  
 Entered at the postoffice at Janesville, Wis.,  
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 We publish free, marriages, deaths and obitu-  
 ary notices, without poetry; also notices of  
 church and society meetings.  
 We publish at half rates church and society  
 notices of entertainments given for revenue.

**THIS DAY IN HISTORY.**

1760—Dorothy Sampson born in Clinton, Mass.; died 1827; she served three years in the patriot army under the name of Robert Shurtliff.  
 1770—Ludwig von Beethoven, musical composer, born in Bonn; died in Vienna 1827.  
 1800—John Greenleaf Whittier, poet, born in Haverhill, Mass.; died 1892.  
 1822—General Frederick West Cushing, Lander, born in Salem, Mass.; died in the service 1862.  
 1830—Bolívar (Simon) or Bolívar y Pantoja, the South American liberator, died; born 1783. Bolívar achieved the independence of Colombia from the Spaniards and then that of Peru. He organized the state of Bolivia out of upper Peru. He was successively dictator and then president of Colombia, dictator of Peru, protector of Bolivia, later president for life of Peru and a second time president of Colombia.  
 1874—Commander William B. Cushing, U. S. N., destroyer of the Confederate ram Albemarle, died in Washington; born in Delaware, Wis., 1842.  
 1890—Violent snow and rainstorm in the northern and eastern states; many lives lost. Louis Eugene Charpentier, French painter, died in Paris.

**NOTICE TO GAZETTE READERS**  
 Janesville merchants realize that The Gazette readers are the ones that spend the money, and so rapid has been the increase of the advertising patronage that it has been a knotty problem to plan how to care for it. In order that news matter may not be sacrificed, the first page will [also be] largely devoted to local matter in the future, making four red-hot local pages. You will find Janesville happenings on—  
 Page one.  
 Page two.  
 Page three.  
 Page five.

**CHRISTMAS SHOPPING.**  
 All this week the stores will overflow with Christmas feeling. Let the feeling grow. There is an unfortunate tendency in certain circles to ignore this delightful custom of gift distribution for the reason that it is lavished by a profuse spirit that it robs a token of its real value and embarrasses those who cannot invest such sums as they would like to invest. This view is born of selfishness or false pride—two elements that should be banished at this season. It will be an evil day when the mere exchange of cards supplants the exchange of gifts, whatever the intrinsic value of the latter. We have no sympathy with the croaker whose head appears above the surface at Christmas, as it appears on every other occasion devoted to general joy and charity and the closest brotherhood of man.  
 Let the holiday shopping go on. Let the people push and pull, and bargain and count. Give us still the old-time Christmas, with its greens, its toys, its shouts, its greetings, its congratulations, its sweetmeats and its indigestion. The world must always be the better for it.

**NOT A STIRRING CAMPAIGN.**  
 Many will be sorry that the presidential campaign begins in June, but the blessed thought remains that the campaign of 1896, even if twelve months long, would not disturb business. Nobody has or will have the faintest doubt as to the result of the campaign. Not a single democrat in the United States thinks his party will win. This will be one of the canvasses—one of the very few in American history—in which there will be no uncertainty as to the outcome. Business will, without the slightest hesitation, base its calculations upon a change of administration on March 4 1897. No event of the future not governed by physical laws is surer than that the man nominated in St. Louis next June will be inaugurated eight and a half months later.

Governor Upham will take plenty of time to decide on the apportionment matter. He will not call a special session unless he is certain a special session is needed, and when he decides the people may feel certain that it is with their welfare in mind.  
**Bath Recommended.**  
 The following is the horror perpetrated by a well-known Scottish baronet: A sportsman said to him the other day: "Talking about dogs with keen scent, I have one that will compare favorably with any you have in England." "Very remarkable dog, I suppose?" yawned the listener.  
 "I should say so. The other day after I left home he broke his chain and, although I had been away for hours, he tracked me and found me merely by scent. What do you think of that?"  
 "I think you ought to take a bath," replied the Caledonian, turning calmly away.—*Life's Calendar.*

**Where Three Empires Meet.**  
 There is in the southeastern part of the Prussian province, Silesia, a spot where the frontiers of Germany, Russia and Austria meet. This point, which is called "The Three Emperors' Corner," is in the heart of a great coal and iron region. Count Schuwalow, the new governor-general of Poland, recently made a trip of inspection through the iron and industrial districts of Russian Poland, and upon this occasion made a visit to this historical spot, where once the three emperors of Russia, Germany and Austria met and spoke to each other, while each stood in his own country. The party was heartily welcomed by a large number of German mine workers, who happened to see the cavalcade and the array of carriages on the other side. After a short stay the governor continued upon his trip, but not before having called over to a German engineer who had taken a snap shot of the brilliant company across the brook, to send him a copy of a picture made in Germany, taking in a Russian governor and his staff, with an Austrian landscape as the background.

Books—hundreds and hundreds of them, illustrated or not. Lowell's Annex.

**DANGER AHEAD**  
 A Simple Case of Piles. The Forerunner of Incurable, Fatal Rectal Diseases.  
**A NEW PILE CURE**

Which Cures Every Form of Piles Without Pain or Inconvenience.  
 The ordinary case of piles is one of the commonest afflictions of humanity. While they are extremely annoying, yet men and women will endure them for months and years, off and on, because they are not immediately fatal, and as long as they can get around and perform the daily duties of life they suffer on in the hope that in some way or other the trouble will pass away of its own accord, without any other treatment than a little salve or ointment occasionally. Now in the very nature of the disease this will never happen.  
 It is absolutely certain to grow worse passing away for a time and returning, until before you are aware of it, an ulcer has formed and the beginning of the much dreaded *Natala* has been made and then, what was at first a simple case of common everyday piles becomes an even chance between life and death. A surgical operation, with all its attendant horrors, uncertainties and danger to life, becomes necessary.  
 Although the Pyramid Pile Cure is just as valuable in the advanced stages of rectal disease, yet the time to use it is at the beginning. A single package will then effect a complete cure in nearly every instance, in fact two or three applications often do the work. The Pyramid Pile Cure is well known to be a certain cure for Piles in every form, but we take pleasure in publishing the experiences of sufferers, especially when such commendation is entirely unsought by us.  
 Mr. H. H. Hoffman, of Huntington, W. Va., writes:  
 "I have used your Pyramid Pile Cure and consider it a perfect remedy for Piles. If you want an agent write me your terms and I can do some good work for you as everybody here knows how badly I suffered and they also know I am now entirely cured."  
 From Mrs. S. E. Deitzler, Union Deposit, Pa.: "Please accept thanks for your Pyramid Pile cure. It has done me such great good in so short a time and at so little expense."  
 From Mrs. Nancy W. Shaw, La Crosse, Wis.: "I am more than pleased with the benefit I have received from the Pyramid Pile Cure, I needed but one package. I shall write you again soon."  
 From R. Witherell, Shoreham, Vt.: "The package of Pyramid Pile Cure I received last November has entirely cured me of itching piles. I have tried various remedies for over forty years. I shall always keep a package of this splendid remedy on hand. There are others I think would be glad to try it, when I can see them and tell them what it has done for me. Accept my heartfelt thanks."  
 Letters like these are daily received by the Pyramid Pile Co. of Albion, Mich., who manufacture this remedy. It is sold by druggists everywhere at 50 cents and \$1.00, and every druggist has a good word to say for it as they know better than anyone else the satisfaction it always gives to their customers.  
 A pamphlet on cause and cure of piles sent free by addressing Pyramid Co., Albion, Mich.

**CHEAP POTATOES & FLOUR.**  
 Choice Patent Flour, 88c.  
 Northern Potatoes in 5 bushel lots, 25c per bushel.  
 Good Raisins, 5c per pound.  
 Good Laundry Soap, 7 bars for 25c, or 30 bars for \$1.00.  
 Best ring cut Evaporated Apples, 3 lbs. for 25c.

**A. LUTZ,**  
 Academy St. & Washington Ave.  
**Fred Feltz,**  
 "The Tailor,"  
 has in stock a choice selection of...  
 Imported and Domestic Woolens.  
 The latest novelties for the best trade at moderate prices. They will not be made like ready-made clothing without hair-cloth and pure lining.  
 SUITS made to order, \$14 to \$35.  
 OVERCOATS, \$14 to \$30.  
 PANTS, \$3.50 to \$10.  
 Good fit and the finest workmanship guaranteed.  
 CALL AND SEE THE GOODS.  
**Fred Feltz,**  
 12 Corn Exchange.

# BORT, BAILEY & CO.

## NOTICE THESE TWO SALES

### FOR THIS, TUESDAY EVENING.

### FOR TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY ALL DAY.

In order to keep the good-natured crowd smiling we will offer for this

## Tuesday Evening's Sale.

10,000 Hemst'ch'd

# Handkerchiefs

## 3½C EACH.

They are sheer and fine and beautiful. We are delighted to be able to offer them to You because every lady that gets one will be pleased and that's what we want, to please YOU and and see YOU smile.

## For Wednesday's Sale.

We will offer Three hundred pieces of

# Linens, 13c EACH.

THE LOT COMPRISES:

These LINENS will will be laid out on a counter by themselves and you take your choice for 13c. Any lady who wants linens will do well to avail themselves of this great offer.

**BORT, BAILEY & CO.**  
 Open Every Evening. Watch Our Ads.

**Every - Evening**

From now on in 1896 we will be open to show you a few nice...  
 Holiday Presents For Gentlemen.  
 Silk, Cotton and Wool Mufflers; Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs (initials). Plush and Wool Caps; Lined and Unlined Gloves and Mittens in Undressed Kid.  
 Handsome Night Robes; Finest Underwear; Collars and Cuffs; Link Buttons, Pins and Studs and a beautiful line of  
**NECKWEAR**  
 DeJoinvilles, Ascots, Puffs, Tecks. Four-in-Hands, Club House and Bows.  
 Correct Things At : : :  
**KNEFF & ALLEN**

## The Holiday Umbrellas.

### A Complete Sample Line

of both Umbrellas and Sets is here on sale today.

### At One-Half Regular Values.

For Ladies and Gents.

# ARCHIE REID & CO.



## A DAY'S CITY NEWS.

The size, shape, color, cutting, brilliancy, are some of the points to be considered in estimating the worth of a diamond. Careful and intelligent consideration is given to each particular stone purchased by A. F. Hall & Co., "the reliable jewelers." If you get your Xmas diamond from them they guarantee to give you the best for your money that money will buy.

"The Brooklyn Handicap" was presented at the Myers Grand last night by a lot of actors who were badly handicapped themselves by their lack of histrionic ability. It will not quite do for Janesville, although Brooklyn and Chicago may have liked it, as press notices said they did.

GENTLEMEN'S knives means more than the common ordinary pocket knife. It means a knife so built and of such excellent quality that any gentleman would smile on finding one in his stocking Christmas morning. A. F. Hall & Co., "the reliable jewelers" have a choice stock of such knives to select from.

SEVEN dollars will buy an \$18 suit at our store if you chance to get one to fit. We have placed all our odd lots of suits when the sizes are broken in our line, and made the prices \$7 for choice. It will pay you to look at them if you need a suit. T. J. Zeigler.

THE funeral of the late Clinton Evans will be held from the Terrace street home of his parents tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The Rev. Victor E. Southworth will officiate, and the interment will be made at Oak Hill.

Among the eatables to be served at the supper given by the ladies of Court Street church Wednesday evening will be: Turkey, cranberry sauce, jelly, salads, cold meats, cake, doughnuts, coffee and many other delicacies.

You make no mistake if you decide on giving a spoon, whether its for a child or for your grown up friends. A. F. Hall & Co., "the reliable jewelers," have all the pretty and artistic patterns in all sizes of spoons.

HAVE you seen the twenty-one cent link cuff button we are showing for Christmas? If not call and see them, you will buy a pair. They wear as good as the \$1.00 grade. F. H. Baack.

Not an unloading of inferior grade shoes, trash, etc., but a sale for a short time of the best makes known, is that of the A. Richardson Shoe Co. You all know of their reliability.

To make the children happy is the principal intention of Christmas gifts. You can't make the boy or girl feel prouder or happier than with a pair of Becker & Woodruff's children's shoes.

Tired feet always feel easier at night if they are enclosed in a nice fitting pair of slippers. Becker & Woodruff's holiday line is very complete both for men and woman.

REMEMBER, we have the largest and most complete line of pocket books and purses ever shown in Janesville, and they all go at prime New York cost. Bort, Bailey & Co.

It's going to snow more and the sleighing will be good. What's the matter with a cutter for a Christmas present? We have beauties for little money. F. A. Taylor.

E. J. ROESLINE's indoor base ball team defeated E. J. Hemming's nine at the Union Catholic League hall last evening by a score of 8 to 9. Thomas Clark acted as umpire.

GRAND holiday display of fine neck trimmings at Zeigler's. The new neckties and puffs in handsome boxes 50, 75 cents and \$1. Proper presents for gentlemen.

THE ladies of Court Street church will serve supper on Wednesday, December 18th from 5 to 7 p. m. Supper 25 cents. A cordial invitation to all.

H. A. BORN, the popular salesman for the Gus V. Brecht Butchers' Supply Co., leaves this evening for a week's pleasure trip throughout the south.

MR. and Mrs. T. P. Chapin, of Brooklyn, and daughter Mrs. Bullard, of Evansville, spent the day in the city, the guest of Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Dudley.

F. A. TAYLOR paid a fine of five dollars and costs in the municipal court today on a charge of assault and battery preferred by Henry H. Harris.

A BEAUTIFUL line of ladies' Christmas slippers at Becker & Woodruff's. Prices are dropped very low for this approaching time of good feeling.

H. E. PATTERSON of Chicago, is in the city visiting friends. Mr. Patterson was the first agent that the Northwestern road had in this city.

C. W. CHILDS after a short visit in the city, the guest of his brother, C. D. Childs, left this morning for his home at Wood Lake, Minn.

S. TRULSON left this morning for Edgerton, where he was called by the death of his brother's wife, they residing on a farm near that city.

SPECIAL sale tomorrow of towels, dollies, center pieces, splashes, worth up to 50 cents at 13 cents. See large ad. Bort, Bailey & Co.

CUTTERS for Xmas presents can't be put in the long stocking, but they go just the same. Our stock is good; prices are right. F. A. Taylor.

R. R. POWELL, one of Fort Atkinson's well known young men, was in the city today making arrangements to open a dental parlor.

ents. Goods are going fast and for little money.

BRIDGE Foreman Anderson and crew of the Northwestern road, were erecting a new switch house at the River street bridge today.

FINE linen collars and cuffs 10 cents, unlaundered white shirts 25 cents, laundered white shirts 50 cents at S. D. Grubb's.

JOHN B. LITNEY, C. H. Litney and F. Bailey left this morning for Atlanta via the Northwestern road and Monon route.

TWENTY-FOUR engines like the one that was in the city yesterday, are soon to be put in service on the Northwestern road.

THE Janesville Machine Company have "laid off" some of their hands, while the machinery, etc., is being repaired.

FRANK LAWSON, the popular night clerk at the Grand Hotel, left today for Tomahawk, where he will attend a wedding.

F. J. CONE, the well known clerk at the Hotel Myers, is once more on duty after a week's visit at his former home in Harvard.

SUPT. F. R. MOULTON returned home today, after an inspection of the Wisconsin division of the Northwestern road.

JAMES SELKIRK formerly of this city, but now of Clinton, returned home this morning after a short visit in the city.

STREET Commissioner Watson and men were cleaning the crosswalks in the business part of the city yesterday.

LANDLORD J. H. TEETER of the Park Hotel Delavan returned home this morning after a two days visit in the city.

WILLIAM RUGER and daughter Alice returned home last evening after a day's visit in the World's Fair City.

MISS MARCIA WITHINGTON has left for Chicago where she will visit for a few weeks the guest of her sister.

EDWARD HOLMES of Chicago, is in the city to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Valentine.

THE street cars were well patronized last evening by the crowds from the Y. M. C. A. and the theatre.

EVERY family ought to have a copy of sheet music called "The Christ Child." Sold only by E. F. Nott.

WILL DAVIS left last evening for Chicago with a car of horses which he expects to dispose of at a sale.

MANAGER E. W. SCHULTZ, of the Hall furniture Co., returned today from a trip to Watertown.

Six hundred chairs arrived today for the Y. M. C. A. building. They came from Warren, Ohio.

W. SMITH and Mr. and Mrs. J. Braden left this morning via the Northwestern for Fresno, Cal.

MR. and Mrs. C. E. Sherwood returned home last evening after a pleasant visit in Chicago.

D. D. WARNER, a member of a Madison bicycle firm, was transacting business in the city today.

S. D. GRUBB, clothier and shoe dealer is closing out his large new stock at half price.

MRS. G. M. TORREY of Cazenovia, N. Y., has donated a handsome chair to the Y. M. C. A.

MISS JULIA VANKIRK, who has been visiting relatives in Chicago, returned home last evening.

ALL wool suits, overcoats and ulsters \$3.50, \$5 and \$7.50 at S. D. Grubb's closing out sale.

SPECIAL sale of handkerchiefs tonight, at 3¢ cents. See large ad. Bort, Bailey & Co.

N. H. CLARK has shipped a carload of eighteen horses from Brodhead to Houghton, Mich.

A TEN pound boy has arrived at the Milton avenue home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Sadler.

TONIGHT we will sell handkerchiefs at special sale. See large ad. Bort, Bailey & Co.

PHILIP OHLWEILDER spent the day with a party of friends fishing at Lake Koshkonong.

FUR coats and capes repaired and relined skillfully, Hillbrandt, 5 Court street.

THE Brooklyn Handicap Company left on the 9:45 train for Beloit. It is just as well.

A LOCAL confectionary firm has received a ton of candy for their holiday train.

MRS. THOMAS KING returned home last evening after a pleasant visit in Chicago.

PRICES that tell wonders in the Richardson Shoe Company's ad this evening.

J. C. HAWLOW returned to Chicago this morning to resume his run in the mail service.

THE Light Infantry boys now have a complete gymnasium outfit in the armory.

"POTTER'S Lake," at the Northwestern depot, is beginning to loom up again.

Two cars of hogs were shipped last evening to Chicago by Charlton & Dawson.

IF heart warming things at cheering prices have anything toward making Christmas merry, A. F. Hall & Co., "the reliable jewelers," have contributed in no small degree to the happiness of many customers and their friends. They have so large a stock of pretty giftable things, it's a pleasure to buy them.

DON'T forget the annual dance of the Fire Companies Christmas eve at the Armory.

CAMEL's hair and fleece-lined underwear at 19 and 25 cents at S. D. Grubb's.

WE are sole agents for the famous up-to-date Marzluft shoes. Lowell's Annex.

OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES, Longfellow and Whittier's books at Sutherland's.

DIARIES for 1896. Call early and get your choice at Sutherland's book store.

REMEMBER the Light Infantry reception and ball at the Armory tonight.

R. J. MALTPRESS of Edgerton, was looking over the tobacco market today.

OXFORD teachers' bibles at \$1.50, reduced from \$1.85. Lowell's Annex.

EX-SHERIFF BARCOCK of Clinton, transacted business in the city today.

FRANK BROWN has been added to Prof. Huyke's opera house orchestra.

HEAVY duck-lined coats with corduroy collar, only \$1 at S. D. Grubb's.

ENGINEER CHARLES STEARNS, now of Chicago, was in the city visiting.

THE Hose Companies' ball Christmas eve will be a very enjoyable event.

J. A. DENNISTON left this morning on a business trip to Shullsburg.

WILLIAM ROONEY has been added to the force at Brownell's grocery.

BEST quality men's and boys' over-shoes only \$1 at S. D. Grubb's.

SATIN and silk suspenders in white, black and cardinal, at Zeigler's.

Boys' suits, ulsters and reefer \$1.50 and \$2.50 at S. D. Grubb's.

DR. W. B. METCALF was called to Woodstock today on business.

THREE cars of meat arrived in the city today for the butchers.

SHERIFF APPELEY returned home last evening from Waupun.

MEN's and boys' silk plush caps only 48 cents at S. D. Grubb's.

MEN's all wool pants neat patterns \$1.50 and \$2 at S. D. Grubb's.

SMITH's orchestra play for a dance at La Prairie tomorrow night.

GREAT album sale this week at Sutherland's book store.

THE best bread in the city 3 cents a loaf at Hayner & Grubb.

JANESVILLE City Lodge No. 90 I. O. O. F. will meet tonight.

LESLIE R. TRENT spent the day in Beloit on business.

C. E. LEE, of Evansville, registered at the Park today.

THE University Association will meet this evening.

FRESH home made mince pies at Hayner & Grubb.

CONDUCTOR GEORGE DEVINS was in the city today.

ROCKING horses different styles at Lowell's Annex.

READ the Richardson shoe price ad this evening.

DANCE with the firemen on Christmas eve.

STUART A. CHASE spent the day in Chicago.

SATIN kid slippers 98 cents at the Annex.

DOLL carriages all sizes at the Annex.

INFANTA EULALIA IN LONDON

She is the Guest of a Cousin of Janesville Residents

The Chicago Sunday Tribune says in a dispatch from London that Infanta Eulalia is the guest of Mr. Walter Winans at Brighton, and that she will remain there over Sunday. Mr. James R. Roosevelt, secretary of the United States Embassy, will join Mr. Winans' party today.

Mr. Winans is a cousin of Hon. John Winans and Mrs. E. T. Foote of this city.

BRAKEMAN KILLED AT FOOTVILLE

Leon M. Davis of Brooklyn Falls Beneath the Wheels.

Leon M. Davis, of Brooklyn, Wis., fell under a C. & N. W. train at Footville last night and was killed. Davis' mother lives at Evansville and he also has a sister at Evansville.

THE PROGRAMME FOR TONIGHT

Y. M. C. A. band concert.

UNIVERSITY Association.

Light Infantry reception and ball.

JANESVILLE City Lodge No. 90, I. O. O. F.

3¢ Cent Handkerchiefs

Thousands of handkerchiefs will be laid on our counters tonight and sold at 3¢ cents each. They are fine, they are sheer, they are hemstitched. You must come for them tonight if you want them at 3¢ cents. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Great Display.

The best display of holiday goods in our line in the city; and our prices are away down. Come in and see before buying. We are glad to show them, if you don't buy. Stearns & Baker.

Internal Machines at Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 17.—Timely warning given under peculiar circumstances to all appearances saved the lives of Philip D. Armour and George M. Pullman, endangered yesterday by would-be assassins using deadly internal machines. The machines were left on the top of mail boxes in station L district on Wabash avenue, and their delivery was stopped by the postal authorities, who had been notified of the intended murder.

## A MASKED FOOTPAD AT SPRING BROOK

MISS MATILDA BERGSTERMAN IS "HELD UP."

Robber's Face Was Concealed By a Scarf—Got But a Few Nickels For His Work—Assault Was Committed Near the Street Car Waiting Station—Police Notified.

Janesville has a masked highwayman and Miss Matilda Bergsterman was the victim of the footpads work.

Miss Bergsterman is the nineteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Bergsterman who reside at 206 Glenn street. He had been sent on an errand to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Huebel on McKey Boulevard at Spring Brook. When she started for home at 7:30 it was dark and there being no street cars in sight she was obliged to wait at the corner of the Beloit road and Eastern avenue. While standing at this lonely corner she was approached by a large, heavy set man, who wore a dark coat and whose face was nearly covered up with a scarf. The man grabbed her by the arm and threw her to one side, and in the excitement she dropped her pocket book and handkerchief and breaking away from him, ran back to the Huebel residence. Friends at once procured a lantern and escorted the young lady back to the spot where she had met the robber, and a search revealed her handkerchief, but the pocketbook was nowhere to be found. There were only a few nickels in the book, so the robber was not paid well for his trouble. The police have been given a description of the man, but the chances for his capture are slim.

THE STREET CARS WILL RUN.

That is, Until President Blabon Order Them Stopped.

The directors of the street car company yesterday decided to run the cars until President Blabon ordered them stopped. As Mr. Blabon refuses to operate the line at a loss, however, the cars will probably stop with the first heavy snow storm.

An Opportunity

Such as the Richardson Shoe Co. offer to ladies in their overstock sale cannot be well overlooked. The highest grade foot wear at very low prices. It will not be continued very long and the advantage is with those who come early.

A POLICY IN THE COVENANT Mutual Life Association.

Is Reliable, Economical, Incontestable, Non-forfeitable,

Rapidly Increasing Business Attests Its Popularity.

Insurance in force, \$100,000,000.00.

Death claims paid, over \$9,000,000.00.

Liberal Dividends after three years.

Easy Payments and a definite amount.

Half the Policy paid for total disability.

Every desirable form of policy written at rates much less than Old-Line charges.

C. E. BOWLES, Dist. Agent.

Over M. & M. Bank, Janesville, Wis.

Granulated Sugar, 21 Pounds, One Dollar.

Why pay a dollar for eighteen pounds elsewhere?

Best patent flour, warranted, 85 Cents.

Second patent flour, 80 Cents.

Family flour, good quality 70 Cents.

All kinds of spices whole or ground; pepper, allspice, cinnamon, cloves, ginger and mustard, per lb., 15 cents.

Armour's Hams, 10 cents.

Armour's picnic hams, 71-2 cents.

Armour's pure lard, 8 cents.

25c pound box baking powder, 15 cents.

Good fine cut tobacco, per lb., 20 cents.

Adams' Standard smoking tobacco, 20 cents.

Good smoking tobacco, per lb., 15 cents.

Two pounds for 25 cents.

MYERS' OLD STAND,

7 South Main St.

DR. A. W. COOPER, DENTIST.

Suite 1211, Belland Building, 100 State Street, Chicago, Ill.

Formerly with Dr. Thor. Judd.

Appointments made by mail.

J. H. VANKIRK DEAD IN BROOKLYN

Is a Brother of Capt. W. T. Vankirk, and a Former Janesville Man.

Captain W. T. Vankirk this morning received a dispatch from Brooklyn, N. Y., announcing the death of his brother, J. H. Vankirk, which sad event occurred at his home in that city between one and two o'clock this morning.

Mr. Vankirk was fifty-five years old on March 4 of this year. He was a resident of Janesville in an early day, and at one time was engaged in business with James Sutherland. Afterward he was associated with O. J. Dearborn, and in 1864 he went to New York City. Captain Vankirk left at noon for Brooklyn, to attend the funeral. The burial will be made at that city.

THE DOG POISONER IS AT WORK

E. C. Burdick's Pet Canine Succumbs and He Offers a Reward

The dog poisoner is again at work in the vicinity of the fair grounds. Among the canines that helped themselves too freely was a valuable shepherd belonging to E. C. Burdick, the real estate agent who resides at the corner of Milton and St. Mary's avenues. The dog came home Sunday and was in such terrible agony that it had to be killed with an ax. Mr. Burdick now offers a suitable reward for any information that will lead to the arrest of the guilty party. Judge Bennett's large dog came home a short time ago and showed signs of being poisoned, but afterward recovered.

## COAL

Our No. 2 Per ton \$6

All Other Sizes, " 7

Until Further Notice

We have a fine lot of oak chunks at \$4.75 per cord or two cords for \$9.00. Sawn two or three times.

Janesville Coal Company.

ALL SOULS, The People's Church

Prayer...

Do we believe in prayer? Yes, and no. We believe in prayer in some senses, but not in others. We do not believe in spiritualism and mediums. We do not believe in going to God with a hand-basket. It has been well said, "God feeds the sparrows, but he does not throw worms into their nests." Goethe says: "It is our good God who gives us the nuts, but it is not He who cracks them for us." Reverence and gratitude and high spiritual aspiration towards righteousness and truth is prayer. All well-directed work is prayer.

VICTOR E. SOUTHWORTH, Pastor

The ... First ... National Bank

Business Established in 1858.

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L. B. Carle, Vice Pres

John G. Belford Cashier.

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Capital - \$125,000

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A general banking business transacted

Safe Deposit Vault of absolute security.

Private safes rented by month or year.

Drafts sold on all the principal cities Europe.

LOWNEY'S

NAME ON EVERY PIECE

CHOCOLATE BON BONS.

For Sale By

That Box

You're Packing

to send to some of your out of town friends should contain a package of

Lowney's Fine Candies.

"Name on every piece."

We have them in prices ranging from 10c to 65c, which will buy a pound box of Lowney's best. See our window display of Lowney's Candies.

When You are In



## SENATE CHAIRMANSHIPS.]

## Republican Caucus Committee Assigns Majority Membership.

Washington, Dec. 17.—The republican caucus committee of the senate completed its work of assigning the majority membership of the senate committees yesterday and will be prepared to report to the republican caucus to-day. The assignment of chairmanships is as follows:

Agriculture, Proctor; appropriations, Allison; audit contingent expenses, Jones of Nevada; census, Chandler; civil service, Pritchard; claims, Teller; coast defenses, Squire; commerce, Frye; District of Columbia, McMillan; education and labor, Shoup; enrolled bills, Sewell; examination of branches civil service, Peffer; finance, Morrill; fisheries, Perkins; foreign relations, Sherman; immigration, Lodge; improvement Mississippi river, Nelson; Indian affairs, Pettigrew; Indian depredations, Wilson; irrigation, Warren; judiciary, Hoar; library, Hansbrough; manufactures, Wetmore; military affairs, Hawley; mines and mining, Stewart; naval affairs, Cameron; organization executive department, Butler; Pacific railroads, Gear; patents, Platt; pensions, Gallinger; postoffices, Wolcott; printing, Hale; privileges and elections, Mitchell of Oregon; public buildings, Quay; public lands, Dubois; revision of the laws, Harrows; rules, Aldrich; territories, Davis; transportation routes to seaboard, McBride; University of the United States, Kyle; international exhibitions, Thurston; to investigate the geological survey, Elkins; national banks, Mantle; forest reservations, Allen; trespasses upon Indian lands, Baker; railroads, Clark; relations with Canada, Carter; Ford theater disaster to be filled when the Utah senators come in.

This disposes of the chairmanships of all but eleven committees. After the list is passed upon by the republican caucus it will be handed to the democrats, when it is supposed they will proceed to fill out the minority representation on the committees. It is hoped that this can be done in time to permit the committee appointments to be made late this week, but the republican managers have given up all hope of election of officers before the holidays.

## NEW BOND ISSUE.

## New York World Says It Has Been Decided On.

New York, Dec. 17.—The World says: The withdrawal Monday of \$2,150,000 in gold for shipment leaves the treasury reserve at \$72,804,766. President Cleveland, seeing that a bond issue must come, has been in personal consultation with members of the syndicate which advised and managed the last issue. The details of a plan for the issue were partially agreed upon, and it is understood that the president will order the issue as soon as the reserve strikes the \$60,000,000 mark. The issue will be for at least \$50,000,000, possibly \$100,000,000. It is the general feeling that Monday's shipment will be the last for some time, but it is thought that the president's mark of \$60,000,000 will be reached in the first fortnight of the new year, when the bond issue may be expected.

## CAR WORKS BURN.

## Serious Loss at Owosso, Mich.—One Man Burns to Death.

Owosso, Mich., Dec. 17.—The car shops of the Ann Arbor railway burned at 6 o'clock last evening. Fifteen men made an attempt to get their tools and save the records but were overcome by smoke. All were rescued but J. S. Frazee, who tried to get out of one door, and, failing, tried another, but fell over and was suffocated and burned beyond recognition. S. B. Kinney was also burned.

The records of the company in the car department are all lost, covering a period of twelve years. The loss is figured by the officials at \$12,000. Several new-style cars, just completed, were burned, and the material for special sleeping cars and valuable models. Work will begin at once on rebuilding the shops with many additions. The men out of work will be used in other departments.

## Lake Level Battle Begins.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Representative Griswold of the Erie (Pa.) district Monday introduced in the house a resolution calling upon the secretary of war for all information in his possession bearing upon the question of lake levels, the possible effect of the drainage canal thereon, the cause of the present low water, and the feasibility of raising the water in the lakes by dams at the outlets of the lakes. The resolution will have to go over until after the holidays before it gets consideration by the house. Representative Smith of Michigan introduced in the house a bill reviving schedules G, K, and L of the McKinley law and repealing such portions of the present law as would interfere therewith. Schedule G revokes the tariff on agricultural products and provisions. Schedule K revives the tariff on wool and manufactures of wool, which yielded in 1892 a duty of \$7,799,086 on wool and \$3,429,360 on woolen goods. Schedule L renews the McKinley tariff on silk and silk goods, which realized to the government a revenue of over \$16,000,000 in 1892 upon this class of articles alone.

## Big Strike of New York Tailors.

New York, Dec. 17.—Last night 15,000 tailors in this city, Brooklyn and Jersey City were locked out. There are 155 shops in the employers' association, and of this number eighty-three have posted the new card, and the rest are expected to follow in a few days. Twenty thousand workmen may be involved, for that is the number controlled by the brotherhood in the three cities named.

## Bradbury Pianos—Special Christmas Offer

We intend that 1895 shall be a red letter year in our fifty years of business. We want you to help us out and to increase our sales. Send us your name and the names of your friends who would buy the best and sweetest toned piano made if they could buy it on extra favorable terms. Your Christmas will be happier if you have a new Bradbury in the parlor. Our Christmas will be happier if our immense factories, stores and warehouses in Chicago, New York and other cities are emptied to meet your demands.

We want you to have the same sort of Bradbury piano that Mrs. Cleveland plays on in the White House, and that Mrs. Hayes and Mrs. Harrison used, and that Mrs. Grant used also. Don't be afraid that the price is too high for you.

There is good news for you in our special 1895 Christmas offer. We don't expect the prices we got forty years or twenty years or ten years ago. But the Bradbury is better than ever in tone and quality and in every way. Our guarantee with over one million dollars capital behind every piano we make and sell.

Write today, for Christmas is coming fast. Address F. G. SMITH, Sole Manufacturer, 225-257 Wabash Ave., Chicago

## Fitzsimmons and Maher Will Fight.

Houston, Tex., Dec. 17.—The big fight for the championship of the world, released by James J. Corbett, will now be fought by Bob Fitzsimmons and Peter Maher. The date of the battle will be Feb. 14, and the place some point near El Paso, Tex. Martin Julian, acting for Robert Fitzsimmons, put his name to the articles of agreement drawn up by Dan Stuart, and there is no longer any obstacle in the way of an encounter.

## Internal Machine Was a Hoax.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Analysis of the contents of the internal machine found on the doorstep of the Spanish minister Sunday shows it to have been harmless. M. de Lome is after the offender with police assistance, declining to accept it as a joke.

## YOUR PALATE IS YOUR STOMACH'S CONSCIENCE

## YOUR STOMACH KNOWS WHAT IS GOOD FOR YOU.

Thin people are thin because the food they eat is not absorbed. Reasons, either wrong food, or right food undigested.

Fats, oils and grease will not make any one fat. This is because they are indigestible. Thin people find it hard to digest their food. Fatty foods make it still harder.

Have you ever noticed that almost without exception, thin, pale, dyspeptic, anemic people have an aversion to fat. This is of itself proof enough that such foods are bad for them.

Let your palate tell you what to eat. Nature makes very few mistakes and we should listen to what she says.

Thin people may become fatter, and dyspeptics more comfortable by taking the Shaker Digestive Cordial. It agrees with the weakest stomach. It helps the weak stomach digest other food. It is fattening and invigorating in itself, for it contains artificially digested food.

The Mount Lebanon Shakers have made a great many interesting discoveries within the past hundred years, but none more important than this ingenious cure for all diseases which are traceable to faulty digestion. A simple ten cent bottle will tell whether it is adapted to your case, and can be had through any druggist.

Like All Other Headaches, yields most promptly and pleasantly to...

DR. KILMER'S Sure Headache Cure.

Gives speedy relief to all, whoopla and absolutely safe, producing no nausea, or unpleasant results, but invigorates, strengthens, causing a grateful feeling of physical energy, strength, mental vigor and activity.

"Your Headache Cure is the only remedy that has cured my severe periodical headaches, from which I have suffered for years. I could not be without it at any time."

J. M. Hoonza, Treasurer Eagle Kitting Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Price 25 cents, Box 25 Doses.

Try a Sample Package Free at all First Class Druggists, or address

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MANLY VIGOR

ONCE MORE in harmony with the world, 2000 completely cured men are singing happy praises for the greatest, grandest and most successful cure for sexual weakness and lost vigor known to medical science. An account of this wonderful discovery, in book form, with references and proofs, will be sent to suffering men (sealed) free. Full manly vigor permanently restored. Failure impossible.

ERIE MEDICAL CO., BUFFALO, N.Y.

STATE OF WISCONSIN County court for Rock County, In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the Court House, in the City of Janesville, in said county, on the 3rd Tuesday, being the 17th day of Dec 1895, at 9 o'clock a.m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Abbie T. Judd for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Thorvaldson Judd, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.—Dated November 18, 1895.

By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

ROBECLOSURE SALE, STATE OF WISCONSIN, Circuit Court for Rock county—Wm J. Attwater, plaintiff, vs. Geo. L. Carrington and Sarah H. Carrington, defendants.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of and in pursuance of the judgment of foreclosure and sale rendered in the above entitled action at a regular term of said circuit court for Rock county on the 9th day of May A. D. 1894, in favor of the above named plaintiff and against the above named defendants, I shall offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the post-office in the city of Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin, on the eighth (8) day of July A. D. 1895, at the hour of ten (10) o'clock a.m. of that day, the following described lands and premises, in and by said judgment of foreclosure decreed to be sold, situated in the city of Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot numbered five (5) and six (6), Carrington, Wheeler and Whitehead's addition to the city of Janesville, according to duly recorded plat thereof. Lot numbered nineteen (19) in Glen Vista addition in the city of Janesville, according to the duly recorded plat thereof, together with privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to satisfy said judgment with interest thereon, costs and solicitor's fees, together with costs of sale.

WM. H. APPLEBY, Sheriff Rock Co

HENRY S. SLOAN, Plaintiff's Attorney.

The above advertised sale is hereby adjourned until the 19th day of Aug. 1895, at 10 o'clock a.m., at the front door of the post office in the city of Janesville, Rock County, Wisconsin.

WM. H. APPLEBY, Sheriff Rock Co

The above advertised sale is hereby adjourned until the 24 day of January, at 10 o'clock a.m., at the front door of the post office in the city of Janesville, Rock County, Wisconsin.

WM. H. APPLEBY, Sheriff Rock Co

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## To Slide On Runners

Is the only way one can navigate now days, and those runners are on sleighs. We sell a Portland cutter, broadcloth-trimmed and finished in nice shape, braced strongly, etc., for \$20.00.

## We have a beauty

high-back Portland at \$30.00 that would cost you \$35 or \$40 elsewhere. A carload of sleighs and cutters that are to be sold soon.

## Prices made so low

that there will be no trouble about selling them. Sleighs, runners and bobs of all descriptions.

D. B. MORRISON,

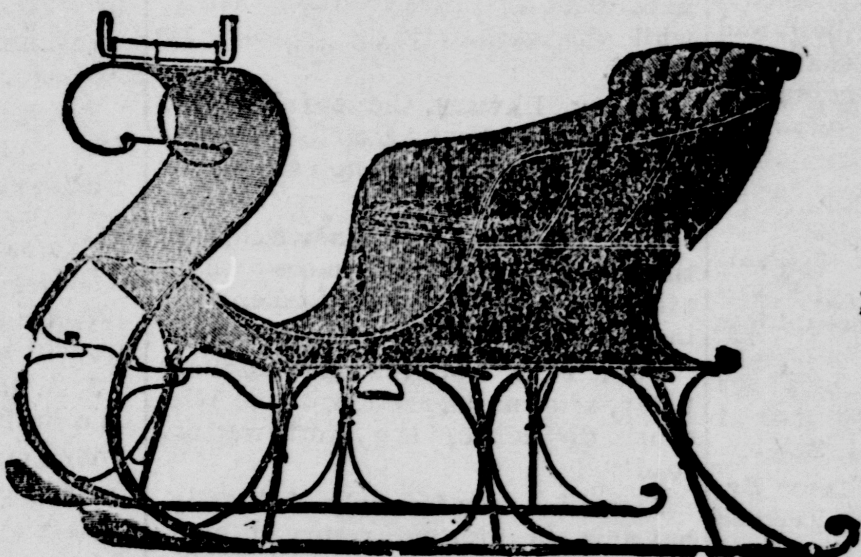
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## A Dollar Saved!

Is a Dollar Earned.

This applies as well to five or ten dollars as to one, and if you wish to purchase a Cutter or Sleigh you cannot earn it easier than by buying of us.

CUTTERS.



CUTTERS.

## Why? Because

We buy in large quantities direct from the factories. See our large stock.

F. A. TAYLOR.

## Holiday . Sale=Xmas . Slippers

..Lowest Prices on Record..

500 pairs to choose from : : :  
: Away They Go :

Men's Velvet Embroidered Slippers, \$ .50  
Regular price 75c, 90c.....  
Men's Velvet Embroidered Slippers, .75  
Regular price \$1.00, go at.....  
Men's Chenille Embroidered Slippers, .95  
Regular \$1 25 line, go at.....

Men's Imitation Alligator Slippers, .75  
Old dollar kind go at.....  
Men's Real Goat Slippers 1.00  
World-over price \$1.50, go at.....  
Men's fine Vici Kid Slippers, 2.00  
Best \$2 50 kind, go at.....  
Men's fine Chamois-lined Goat Slippers, 1.50  
\$2.00 style, go at.....

COME TO US BEFORE YOU BUY--NO CHARGE TO SHOW THE GOODS.

## Legging and Over-Gaiter Sale.

Leggings for the Small Boy,

“ “ “ School-Girl,  
“ “ “ School-Marm,  
“ “ “ Everybody.

OVERGAITERS, 25, 50, 75 and \$1 00.  
LEGGINGS, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$2.00.

HEADQUARTERS FOR THIS LINE OF GOODS.

BROWN BROS. & LINCOLN.

N. B. Be Sure You Get In The Right Store



**Seemed Quite Natural.**  
The football player was experimenting with a bicycle, and it balked, as bicycles sometimes will. He was disengaging himself from a barbed-wire fence when the stranger came along. "Machine gave you a sort of surprise, didn't it?" asked the stranger. "I should say it did," replied the player.

"Didn't exactly know where you were for a minute, I guess," ventured the stranger.

"That's right," returned the player. "For a minute or two I felt sure I was playing in the rush line."—Chicago Evening Post.

**How It Struck James.**  
Millionaire—James, I am making my will. I have been a worldly man all my life, but I have made up my mind to do good with my wealth, and I am thinking of leaving a large sum of money to found a benevolent institution of some kind. How does it strike you?

Poor Relation—About how much do you think of leaving for that object?

Millionaire—About \$100,000.

Poor Relation (with decision)—It won't square you, Roger! It won't square you!—Chicago Tribune.

**Ominous Silence.**  
"The new woman," said the conservative boarder, "is mostly talk."  
"Then I am to understand," said the cheerful idiot, "that she does not differ materially from the old style of woman, eh?"

The bachelor boarder admitted the truth of the contention, but the married boarder said nothing.—Indianapolis Journal.

**Suicidal.**  
Wife (reading newspaper)—According to the statistics I see that the number of marriages decreases, while the number of suicides is increasing.

Husband—That's easily explained. "How so?"

"Men are beginning to prefer the less painful method of getting out of this world."—Texas Sittings.

**Nothing Gained.**  
Kerzogg—Sending your son to college has made a fine, big man of him.

Farmer Perksby—Yes; but I was a fool for sending him to college.

Kerzogg—How so? Before he went to college he was too small for anything.

Farmer Perksby—Yes; and now he is too big for anything.—N. Y. Recorder.

**Very Secret.**  
"So you are going to marry your daughter to Sopley?"

"Yes."

"You make a mistake. That man has a secret vice."

"What is it?"

"Now what a question! If I knew, it would not be a secret."—Harper's Bazar.

**Not a Necessary Accomplishment.**  
"Wonderfully active old fellow, that man Binks," said De Eff. "He told me that his legs were so limber he could kick himself in the back. I couldn't do that—and I'm not half his age."

"You don't need to," said Hawkins. "Almost anybody would be glad to do it for you."—Judge.

**Skeptical.**  
Willie Slimson—My aunt gave me a dollar to-day to put in my bank.

Featherstone—Did you put it in, Willie?

Willie—No, sir. Father has charge of that bank.—Bay City Chat.

**Carried Too Far.**  
She is a very "horsey" girl. At least it looks that way. For when I asked her to be mine, her answer was a nay.

—N. Y. Recorder.

**A SETTLEMENT.**



Mr. Jackson (placing the engagement ring upon her finger)—Wif all mah worldly goods I dee endow.

Miss Snodlake (cooly)—Doan yo' be so hasty, Gawge; we ain' mahried yit.

Mr. Jackson—Nebbery yo' min', honey. Dat ring's all I's got, anyways.—Judge.

**At the Ball.**  
First Artist (admiringly)—What a faultlessly beautiful face Miss Hebie has.

Second Artist (enthusiastically)—Yes, indeed. It's as perfect as a retouched photograph.—N. Y. Weekly.

**That Lingering Good-By.**  
"Farewell, farewell"—still at the gate they loiter, though the hour be late—If no cold wave were on the wing No doubt they'd say "farewell" till spring.

—Washington Star.

**In Her Embarrassment.**  
Young Girl—Have you a book of sample letters for lovers? (Clerk smiles.) It is for my—mamma.—Fliegende Blätter.

**The Case Is Altered.**  
"See the girl with the pug nose!"

"Hush! She's worth \$15,000,000 in her own right."

"What a charming retousse!"—Life.

**Sufficient Reason.**  
"Why are you not up to Simpson's to-night holding his daughter's hand?"

"Because I am too much afraid of her father's foot."—Detroit Free Press.

**Gallant.**  
She—You viper!

He (gallantly)—You snake-charmer!—A Gazette.

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Special attention given to Medical and Surgical Diseases of Women and Children.

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is the time of jollity and good cheer, and the meal at which every true housekeeper delights to load her table with all the delicacies and good things of the season, but all of these things have been high priced and she cannot set

## A Perfect Christmas Dinner

at a reasonable



# WE WON'T

carry over a pair of heavy weight

# PANTS

if a few more wide-awake gentlemen about town find out how awfully cheap we sell them. Prices that we shall make today make them 33 1-3 per cent cheaper than they were earlier in the season.

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\$3.00 and \$3.50 kinds, now - - \$2.50

**The Greatest Slaughter of All--** Any of our \$5.00 and \$6.00 pantaloons for Tuesday, positively ..one day, no more, at...

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you are apt to ignore a printed claim that you would have perfect faith in were it spoken directly to you. Now what we want is to inspire you with

### Perfect Confidence

in our advertisements. We can do this if you will be fair enough to let us show you how honestly we fulfill our printed promises. There are no two ways about it. Will you take the trouble to

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of Adler Bros' Suits and Overcoats that we are showing for the holiday trade?

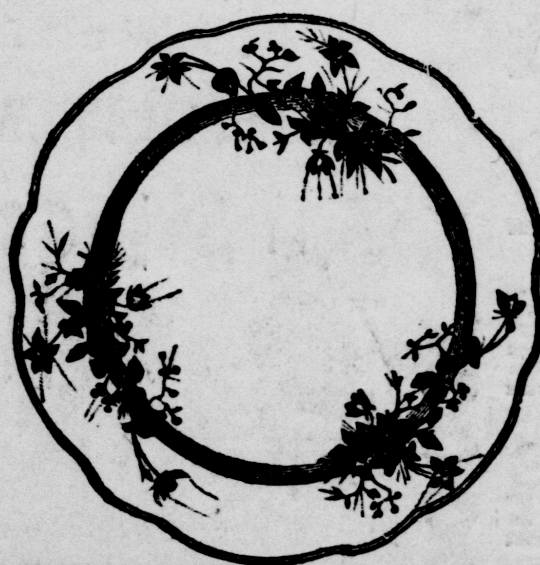
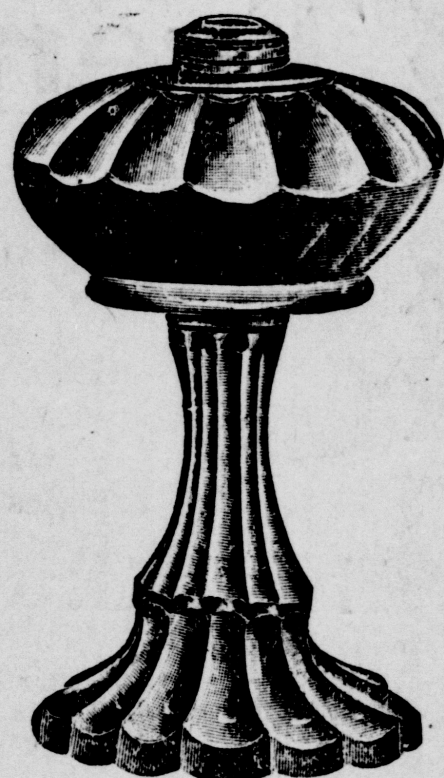


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Open every evening until 9 o'clock except Tuesday and Friday



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" Father,

" Husband,

" the Children,

For every kind of humanity that inhabits this community. Never before has such a list of presents been offered in this city. The stock, every dollar of it, this year's. All late patterns of

New Toys,

New Books,

New Fancy Stuffs,

New Crockery,

New Lamps,

New Fancy Pieces.

This holiday season will be different from others; money is not so plenty, and we have planned prices to fit the pocket. The place where Christmas shoppers flock is at the Annex. You can't fail in getting the correct selection.

## Lowell's Annex,

River Street.

Tram Cars,  
Brownie Carts,  
Laundry Sets,  
Dominos and  
Checkers,  
Spellidg Boards  
Ten Pins, Parchesi,  
Tool Chests, Blocks,  
Trunks, Flowers,  
Guns,  
Tops,  
Magic Lanterns  
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Mechanical Toys,  
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Banks, Trumpets,  
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Perfume, Sleds.  
Rubber Toys,  
Writing Desks, Wagons  
Papetries  
Necktie Boxes,  
Handkerchiefs,  
Glove Boxes,  
Paper Knives,  
Playing Cards  
And Cases,  
Shaving Sets, Watches  
Whisk Brooms, Chairs,  
And Holders,  
Music Rolls,  
Autograph Albums  
Cuff and  
Collar Boxes,  
Work Boxes,  
Toilet Sets,  
Frames,  
Scrap Books,  
Tables,  
Cradles,  
Drums,  
Dolls ALL KINDS,  
Toilet Bottles,  
Doll Carriages,  
Xmas Candles,  
Magic Lanterns.





## What's the Use

of my continuing in business when : : : :

## Frank D. Kimball

is practically giving away furniture like that, says Santa Claus. Don't be discouraged old man, your occupation is not yet gone. We are just helping you out. We know that everybody must

have Christmas presents, and the hard times we are going through makes it more necessary to buy useful gifts rather than luxuries. We have the most complete line of necessary articles in the furniture line, at the most moderate of prices, you ever saw. Things that make presents to be used every day.

White Enamel Chairs,  
White Enamel Beds,  
White Enamel Dressers,  
Brass Beds : : : : : :

60 styles bed room

Suits from \$15 to \$2.25

Folding Beds, many styles.  
Wardrobes, Cubboards, Dressers,  
Sideboards, Chiffoniers, Dining  
Tables, Library Tables, Onyx  
Tables, Parlor Sets and Tables,  
Foot Rests, Hassocks, Carpet  
Sweepers, Rugs, Comfortables,  
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SPRINGS OF ALL KINDS. ....

Chairs : : :

Easy Chairs, Fancy Chairs,  
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A solid oak

Dining chair, cane seat,  
brace arm, four screws  
in each arm, for . . . .

71 cents.

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Cane seat, brace arm,  
four screws in each arm  
chair, for . . . .

69 cents.

until Jan. 1, 1896, reduced  
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COBBLER SEAT, CANE SEAT,  
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Children's Rockers, ALL  
KINDS.

Ladies' Dressing Tables,

Parlor Cabinets, Music Cabinets,

Hall Trees, All Kinds.

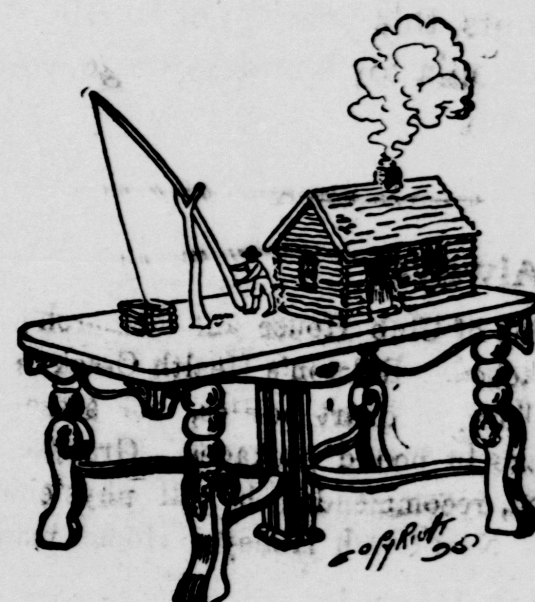
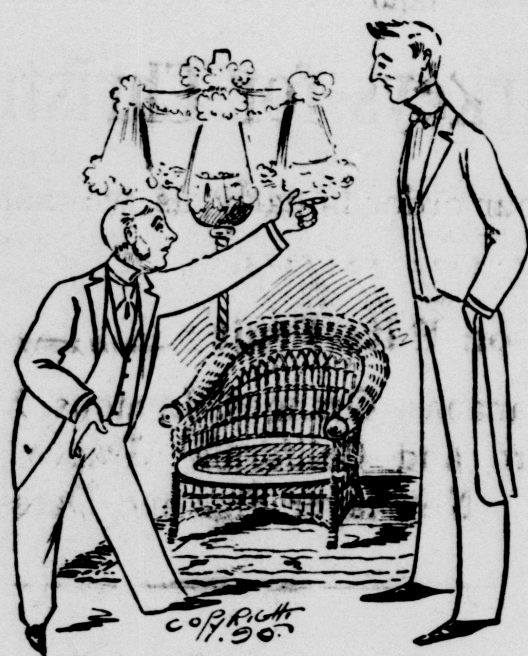
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Parlor Chairs; 42 Styles Couches from \$3.50 to \$46.

We have these Goods all Prices and Qualities.

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We make over mattresses, re-upholster furniture, do under-  
taking and embalming, and give personal attention to all  
the details of funeral work.

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# CHRISTMAS, 1895, . . . - - - GREETING.

We fully realize that the fall season in the Merchant Tailoring business is about over; we also realize that trade, NOT ONLY in our line, but in all lines, has not been fully up to expectations. Our whole glorious country has, for the past few years, been growing more stupid every day under the hypnotic influences of some evil spirit; but we believe and hope that little St. Louis, in June, will name a man who, in November next, will most effectually rout our "National Svengali" and place American industries where there they were before the people foolishly demanded and received a most lamentable change. "Change" is a good thing but very scarce with those who most desired it. However, we are a people hard to discourage; out of the ashes of the great financial wreck shall rise again triumphantly Prosperity, more glorious and mighty than ever. Before another year shall have rolled around, before the earth shall once again be shrouded in a mask of white, emblem of purity--snow; before once again the little stockings shall be hung by the chimney side, prosperity shall come to us again and the little hearts, who this Christmas may be sad, will then once more be made glad. But say, I've run clean off my track; what I wanted to say was this: You know that line of Scotch Suitings which are worth \$32 and \$35 everywhere, well, I'm going to let you have them at **\$25.00 A SUIT**. No more shall the click of his gun strike terror to the hearts of Chesapeake ducks; no more shall the tongues of his ambassadors bring humiliation and shame upon our people, the pride of nation is paramount, and all of our \$25 Suitings will go at

**\$20.00 until January 1st, 1896** - - -

When a few more of our mighty statemen shall have received their much deserved and much delayed vindication and march triumphantly to the highest places in the power of the people to offer them and lead our country on to prosperity and good government, and I'll drop from \$5 to \$8 off every Overcoating in the house. The street cars may stop, the Business Men's Association may disband, the C. & N. W. R. R. may move to Afton, but we'll sell SUITS FOR ALL THAT. The report that Bolles is about to give up the ghost the first of the year will be thoroughly contradicted at our

**Great Spring Opening Sale, March 1st, 1896** - -

Our "ghost" is about the healthiest in town, me thinks. Any of our tailors will tell you HE WALKS REGULAR EVERY WEEK. My instructions are to keep a stiff upper lip and chew gum--beg pardon, I mean say nothing and "saw wood." As this will probably be our last "large" public appearance until spring we will say au revoir, but not good bye, and heartily admonish you to remember that

**BOLLES is the Tailor**

Not a Retailer, But a Practical Tailor.

AND **M. T. Middleton is Manager and Cutter.**

## WHAT TO EAT! WHEN TO EAT! WHERE TO BUY THE EATABLES!

For the table, from now through the holidays at prices that scrape the bottom of the list on the highest grade goods is what **DUNN BROS., "Our Grocymen,"** would speak to you about in the space following. Christmas dinners will be easier to make ready by carefully reading the list.

|  |        |
|--|--------|
| Potatoes, per bushel, 25c; 5 bushel lots,                        | \$1.00 |
| Three pound can California table plums,                          | 10c    |
| Best queen bulk olives, per quart,                               | 15c    |
| Good patent flour per sack,                                      | 85c    |
| Armour's best bacon, per pound,                                  | 10c    |
| Fancy picnic hams, per pound,                                    | 8½c    |
| Three pounds best lard,  | 25c    |
| N. Y. State sweet cider, guaranteed pure, per gal,               | 12½c   |
| Sour pickles, per gallon,  | 15c    |
| Sauerkraut, home made, per gallon,                               | 15c    |
| Thirty bars best laundry soap made,                              | \$1.00 |
| French mixed candy, per lb., 10c; 3 lbs. for                     | 25c    |
| Fancy hand made assorted creams, worth 40c per pound, our price, | 25c    |
| New mixed nuts, this year's, per lb, 10c, 3 lbs. for             | 25c    |
| Household amonia for laundry, large bottle,                      | 10c    |
| Best table syrup,  | 25c    |

### We Have Always

A full line of Club House and Monarch canned goods, no better packed. Ralston's Health Crackers. Elegant stock boiled Cider, in quart bottles, for seasoning. Bremner's Fruit Cake in pound packages. Granose Flakes, the sanitary food, recommended by all physicians. Bulk Sweet Pickles. New Comb Honey. Home made Mince Meat.

### The Choicest Brands

Of the world in Teas and Coffees. The famous Albany Buckwheat—purest ground—the kind cakes that are brown, crisp and thoroughly good can be made from. New York State Apples, sound and good, by the barrel, bushel or peck to suit the purchaser. Pickled Pigs Feet and Tripe.



### Many Leading Brands of Cheese—

Swiss, American Full Cream, Edam, Pineapple, Imperial in porcelain jars, Brick and Sage. Large stock of Fancy Toilet Soaps. Fresh Vegetables—Squash, Parsnips and Onions. We are becoming recognized as Headquarters for Fresh Fish.

### These We Have Always:

Pickrel, Dressed Perch, skinned Bull Heads, Herring, Columbia River Salmon, Red Snapper, Halibut, Blue Fish, Steak Cod, Spanish Mackerel, Extra Large Smelts, Sea Trout, Flounders, Frogs Legs, Shrimps, live and boiled Lobsters, White Fish and all kinds Smoked or Salt Fish.

### Lots of Poultry

Turkeys, Geese, Ducks, Chickens, all dressed and choice. Rabbits and Squirrels. We will have.....

## 300 Turkeys for Christmas : :

Get your order in early as we anticipate a large sale.....

### Every Person Eats Fruit

Our Bananas, Oranges, Lemons, Malaga, Tokay, Concord and California Grapes are unusually choice. New layer Figs and Dates.

**Anything you cannot find at other stores you will always be able to obtain at : : :**

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